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April 17, 1973

Ms. Mary F. Johnson
Campaign Chairman
Frelinghuysen for Freeholder
Committee
52 North Hillside Avenue
Chatham, New Jersey 07928

Dear Ms. Johnson:

This will acknowledge receipt of your request for an advisory opinion, under date of February 28, 1974.

The purchase price of a ticket by a candidate to a luncheon or dinner meeting of an organization does not constitute a campaign expense, unless the surrounding circumstances indicate that the candidate receives more than incidental benefits from attendance at the meeting in question.

Yours very truly,

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Legal Counsel

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