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Your Letter Dated June 5, 1976

Opinion #(0-21-76)

Dear Assemblyman Bassano:

Since writing you on September 24, 1976, I have received and reviewed the questionnaire which you had forwarded.

As indicated in the previous opinion letter, the question would be governed by the principles set forth in Opinions 0-06-76 and 0-28-75. Specifically, a questionnaire of the kind which you forwarded, mailed or delivered sometime prior to your letter of June 5, 1976 would not be regarded by the Commission as an expenditure in aid or furtherance of a candidacy and would not be required to be reported to the Commission.

Yours very truly,

Edward J. Farrell

Legal Counsel

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