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PRESS ADVISORY

On April 24, 1973, Governor William Cahill enacted a law (Chapter 83) that created a program for monitoring the campaign finance activities of candidates and other fund-raising committees in state, county and local elections.

The four-member New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) was established to oversee the new law.

At 1 p.m. Tuesday June 18, current and former commissioners and staff members, as well as others who have been instrumental in the agency's success, will gather to celebrate the agency's 40th year.

The event will be held in ELEC's eighth floor conference room at the agency's office at 28 West State Street.

To commemorate the occasion, we have compiled the attached list of key milestones in ELEC's history. We hope it will be a useful reference for policy makers, the media, academic researchers and the general public. The chronology also will be available on ELEC's website www.elec.state.nj.us under the "About ELEC" tab.

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