



STATE OF MAINE
 COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS
 AND ELECTION PRACTICES
 135 STATE HOUSE STATION
 AUGUSTA, MAINE
 04333-0135

AGENDA

Meeting of May 15, 2002

10:30 a.m., Commission Offices, 242 State Street, Augusta, Maine

ROUTINE BUSINESS

1. Ratification of Minutes of May 1, 2002 meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

None pending.

NEW BUSINESS

2. Maine Clean Election Act Appeals from Certification Denial [21A M.R.S.A. §1125(14)]:
 - A. Honorable Raymond G. Pineau: Letter received May 2, 2002 (fax), appealing denial of certification as Maine Clean Election Act candidate as a result of having collected 14 of required 50 qualifying contributions before submission of declaration of intent as provided by 21A M.R.S.A. §1125(1).
Recommendation: Determine whether Commission has authority to waive statutory certification requirements.
 - B. Mr. John Fink: Letter dated May 2, 2002, appealing denial of certification as Maine Clean Election Act candidate as a result of having submitted request for certification on April 18, 2002, two (2) days after the end of qualifying period as provided by 21A M.R.S.A. §1122(8)(B) and Commission Rules, Ch. 3, §4(1)(A).
Recommendation: Determine whether Commission has authority to waive statutory certification requirements.
3. Late Lobbyist Monthly Disclosure Report:
Leo Dclicata, Lobbyist for Legal Services for the Elderly, Inc.:
 Due 4/16/02; Filed 4/18/02 – 2 days late
 No previous late filings this biennium
 Penalty: \$100.00
Recommendation: Waive in full due to April 12th Augusta postmark (see letter dated May 9, 2002)
4. Late Candidate Registration Form:
Leslie R. Johnson:
 Due 4/8/02; Filed 5/6/02 – 28 days late
 Forfeiture: \$10.00
Recommendation: Assess \$10.00 forfeiture due to March 19, 2002 notice.

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5. Other: Miscclaneous as needed.
6. Executive Session: If necessary.

ADJOURNMENT

ORIENTATION, TRAINING AND QUESTIONS AS DESIRED BY MEMBERS