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August 18, 1987

Mr. Dale J. Florio
Princeton Public Affairs Group
Box 188
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Princeton, New Jersey 08542

Re: Advisory Opinion No. 10-1987

Dear Mr. Florio:

Your letter dated July 7, 1987 to the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission has been forwarded to the Attorney General of New Jersey. A copy of that letter is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

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Honorable W. Cary Edwards
Attorney General of New Jersey
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Hughes Justice Complex
Trenton, New Jersey 08625

Dear General Edwards:

We have been asked by Princeton Public Affairs Group to seek an opinion from the Attorney General that that corporation may make political contributions to New Jersey state candidates.

The question involves consideration of N.J.S.A. 19:34-32 and 19:34-45 and the extent of their applicability in the circumstances presented. The Commission has no jurisdiction with respect to the question.

The Commission has, however, from time to time sought the opinion of the Attorney General on similar matters, since the Commission has the responsibility of administering certain of the laws respecting political contributions and expenditures and we request that you consider issuing an opinion in this matter.

A copy of the letter from Princeton Public Affairs Group to the Commission dated July 7, 1987 is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

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