





NEWS RELEASE

N.J. Election Law Enforcement Commission

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IMMEDIATELY May 1, 1984

The Election Law Enforcement Commission today released a list of names of candidates in the May 8, 1984 municipal election who have not filed any required disclosure reports with the Commission as of noon on Tuesday, May 1, 1984. The list contains 6 candidates for local municipal office.

These candidates were required to file either detailed campaign reports 29 and 11 days prior to the election (April 9 and April 27) or a Candidate-Sworn Statement indicating that expenditures on their behalf in their campaign would not exceed \$2,000. This form was required to be filed on or before the 29th day prior to the election (April 9, 1984).

Timely filing may be accomplished by submitting an original and two copies of the report to the county clerk's office before noon on the filing due date. After that time, filing is <u>only</u> accomplished by submitting the reports directly to the Commission's office in Trenton. Reports filed at the county clerk's office after noon will not be considered filed until such time that they arrive at the Commission's office in Trenton.

The publication of this list is part of revised Commission procedures, begun with the 1978 primary election, designed to foster compliance, enhance disclosure and make enforcement more effective.

The candidates whose names appear on this list will be the subject of Commission complaints and hearings for non-filing unless there are extraordinary mitigating circumstances responsible for the failure to file. They, thus, will be subject to possible fines of up to \$1,000 if found in violation. Additionally, of course, the candidates will be required to file the appropriate reports or Candidate-Sworn Statement.

Other candidates in the 1984 May municipal election who have already filed, but filed late, or have substantive problems in their reports, also will be subject to possible reprimand or fines through the Commission hearing and complaint process.

Candidate

Barry Iaconnell Richard Amos Blanton Louis Mobley Prentiss Little Margaret Williams Michael J. La Rosa

Municipality

Atlantic City Garfield Montclair Paterson Paterson Sparta