

Memorandum

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To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS

CTC Meeting: March 26, 2015

Reference No.: 4.6
Information

From: WILL KEMPTON
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Subject: **HEARING – AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMISSION’S CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE**

ISSUE:

Amendments to the Commission’s Conflict of Interest Code are proposed to add positions that involve the making, or participating in the making, of decisions that may foreseeably have a material effect on any financial interest, as set forth in subdivision (a) of Section 87302 of the Government Code. The proposed amendment, statement of reasons for the amendment, and notice of intention to amend the existing conflict of interest code are set forth in Reference Item 4.7.

California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Division 6 Section 18750 (c) requires that every agency which proposes to amend its existing conflict of interest code shall, among other requirements, accept written comments from interested persons through the conclusion of the public hearing or close of the comment period and conduct a public hearing if at least 15 days prior to the close of the comment period a public hearing is requested.

The proposed amendments to the Conflict of Interest Code were made available to the public and the public had an opportunity to provide written comments during the public comment period that ended February 16, 2015. No comments were received.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the proposed amendments to the Commission’s Conflict of Interest Code be filed with the Fair Political Practices Commission upon final approval.