**To:** Chair Silver, Commissioners Baker, Ortiz, Wilson, and Wood

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**Subject:** Updated Campaign Disclosure Manuals 3 – 7

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Attached for your approval are updates to campaign disclosure manuals 3 - 7.

Updates made to the campaign manuals are a result of legislative changes from AB 571, AB 775, AB 2172, SB 686, SB 794, SB 1360, SB 1439, and Commission regulations 18400, 18402.2, 18421.2, 18424, 18424.1, 18424.2, 18424.3 18531.5, and 18545. Other minor, nonsubstantive changes were made to accommodate these changes. All changes in the manuals are highlighted in yellow and have been reviewed by agency attorneys.

The draft manuals were made available on the Commission's website in April and May for public review and comment. There were some changes made as a result of the adoption of amendments to Regulation 18421.2 and public comments received from the Secretary of State's Office and the California Political Attorneys Association (CPAA). Substantive changes made as a result of the comment period are highlighted in green.

We recommend your approval of the following:

- Manual 3 Information for Ballot Measure Committees
- Manual 4 Information for General Purpose Committees
- Manual 5 Information for Major Donor Committees
- Manual 6 Information for Independent Expenditure Committees
- Manual 7 Information for Slate Mailer Organizations