

1 Amend 2 Cal. Code Regs., Section 18960 to read:

2 **§ 18960. Direct Personal Benefit Defined.**

3 (a) For purposes of Government Code sections 89511(b)(3) and 89521(b)(2), an
4 expenditure of campaign funds results in a direct personal benefit when, within six months of the
5 expenditure and without the assistance of any intervening influence or interruption, the
6 candidate, ~~or elected officer,~~ individual with authority to approve the expenditure of campaign
7 funds held by a committee, or member of ~~the candidate's or elected officer's~~ their immediate
8 family:

9 (1) Realizes an increase in income or assets, or a decrease in expenses or liabilities, ~~of~~
10 ~~more than \$200~~ from the expenditure; or

11 (2) ~~Actually makes~~ Makes personal use of an asset obtained as a result of the expenditure.

12 (b) An expenditure of campaign funds does not result in a prohibited direct personal
13 benefit if otherwise specifically permitted under any other provisions of Article 4 (commencing
14 with Section 89510) of Chapter 9.5 of Title 9 of the Government Code, or interpretative
15 regulations thereto.

16 Note: Authority cited: Section 83112, Government Code. Reference: ~~Section~~ Sections 89511 and
17 89521, Government Code.