



# San Francisco Ethics Commission

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## ETHICS COMMISSION REGULATIONS CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONSULTANTS

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### Draft Regulation Amendments to San Francisco Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code Section 1.500 et seq

#### ~~Ethics Commission Regulation 1.515(d)-1~~

#### ~~Filing of Facsimile Client Authorization Statements~~

~~Approved by the Ethics Commission on 8/9/99~~

- ~~a. At the time of initial registration, the campaign consultant shall submit to the Ethics Commission a written authorization from each client that contracts with the campaign consultant for campaign consulting services.~~
- ~~b. If the campaign consultant is retained by a client after the date of initial registration, the campaign consultant must file a Client Authorization Statement before providing any campaign consulting services to the client and before receiving any economic consideration from the client in exchange for campaign consulting services, and in any event no later than 15 days after being retained to provide campaign consulting services to the client.~~
- ~~c. If the campaign consultant is retained by a client after the date of initial registration, the campaign consultant may submit a copy of the Client Authorization Statement by facsimile machine. The Client Authorization Statement shall be deemed to be timely filed only if the facsimile copy is received no later than the filing deadline, and within 15 days of the filing deadline the original document is received by the Ethics Commission, and the original document is identical in all respects to the facsimile copy.~~

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#### Regulation 1.540(a)-1: Electronic Filing of Statements and Reports.

Whenever campaign consultants are required by Article I, Chapter 5 of the San Francisco Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code to file an original statement or report, the consultant must file the statement or report electronically, in a format prescribed by the Ethics Commission.