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FEC ASKS FOR COMMENTS, SETS HEARING ON PROPOSED CHANGES IN COMPLIANCE REGULATIONS

WASHINGTON -- Public written comments are being requested by the Federal Election Commission on proposed revisions to its regulations governing compliance procedures.

Major topics under consideration for revision include requirements for filing and amending complaints, the policy regarding extensions of time, making findings against treasurers of political committees, the reporting of funds used to pay civil penalties, oral enforcement hearings and the handling of enforcement matters that result in civil litigation.

These are among issues that have arisen since the compliance rules were last amended in 1980, and are intended to streamline and clarify several aspects of the compliance process.

Written comments are due on or before September 24 and should be addressed to Ms. Susan E. Propper, Assistant General Counsel, 999 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20463. In addition to written comments, the FEC will hold a public hearing on the proposed rulemaking on October 20, 1993. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should make that known in their written comments.

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