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## FEC TO HOLD REGIONAL CONFERENCES TO DISCUSS VOTER REGISTRATION ACT WITH STATE OFFICIALS

WASHINGTON -- Five regional conferences have been scheduled by the Federal Election Commission to discuss with state election officials provisions of the National Voter Registration Act of 1993. The chief election officer in each state will invite and coordinate attendance from that state.

The first of the conferences, conducted by the FEC's National Clearinghouse on Election Administration, will be at the Westin Hotel in Seattle, Washington, on September 18 and 19. States in this region are Alaska, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington.

The purpose of the meetings is to provide information to the states on their responsibilities under the Act, discuss the major issues to be considered when developing conforming legislation, and examine approaches to implementing provisions of the Act.

The conferences are directed primarily toward state officials who will be responsible for determining which of the permissible options to implement in their state.

Other regional meetings and states included are:

Dallas: Grand Hotel, September 27, 28. Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas.

Chicago: Westin O'Hare Hotel, October 1, 2. Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio.

Boston: Sheraton Tara Danvers Hotel, October 16, 17. Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont.

Atlanta: Hyatt Regency Hotel, October 23, 24. Alabama, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia.

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