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PROPOSED CHANGES IN PRESIDENTIAL CONVENTION REGULATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED AT OCTOBER 27 PUBLIC HEARING

WASHINGTON -- A public hearing on proposed changes in presidential convention regulations will be held by the Federal Election Commission on Wednesday, October 27. The hearing will start at 10 a.m. in the Commission's ninth floor hearing room.

Scheduled witnesses are David A. Norcross, General Counsel, and Thomas Josefiak, Deputy Chief Counsel, Republican National Committee, William Harris, 1992 RNC Convention Manager, and Joseph E. Sandler, General Counsel, Democratic National Committee.

The proposed changes would reorganize existing rules governing publicly financed presidential nominating conventions, including not only the party convention committees, but also host committees and local government activities, making them more consistent with rules governing other publicly financed committees.

Deadline to submit written comments was September 17. This rulemaking originally was undertaken in 1990, but the Commission postponed further action until after the 1992 presidential election.

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