

certifications and disclosures by WPI, EPA and DEQ have concluded that WPI has not disposed of or arranged for the disposal of hazardous substances at the Site, and has not caused or contributed to a release of hazardous substances at the Site. EPA and DEQ have a Memorandum of Agreement to coordinate their activities to require parties responsible for the contamination to cleanup the Site.

The major provisions of the Consent Order require a cash payment from WPI to DEQ, which is the lead Agency managing the cleanup of the Site, to help defray past and future response costs at or in connection with the Site, including costs incurred in connection with negotiation and entry of this Consent Order, and in order to facilitate community relations regarding response activities at the Site, and a grant of access by WPI to DEQ and EPA to the property for all response activities to be taken at the Site; in exchange for legal protection for WPI and its successors in interest for cleanup liability at the Site in the form of a covenant not to sue from EPA and DEQ.

EPA will receive comments relating to the proposed Consent Order for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication. Comments should be addressed to Alan Goodman, Oregon Operations Office, 811 SW 6th Avenue, 3rd Floor, Portland, OR 97204, and refer to In the Matter of East Multnomah County Groundwater Contamination Site, Proposed Administrative Order on Consent for Winmar Pacific, Inc.

Copies of the proposed Consent Order may be examined at the Oregon Operations Office, 811 SW 6th Avenue, 3rd Floor, Portland, OR 97204. A copy of the proposed Consent Order may be obtained by mail or in person from the Oregon Operations Office.

Chuck Clarke,

Regional Administrator.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

[Notice 1996-7]

Computerized Magnetic Media Requirements for Presidential Committees

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

ACTION: Announcement of Changes to the Computerized Magnetic Media Requirements for Presidential Primary and General Election Committees.

SUMMARY: The Commission has revised its document entitled "Computerized

Magnetic Media Requirements for Title 26 Candidates/Committees Receiving Federal Funding" ("CMMR"). The CMMR sets forth technical standards designed to ensure the compatibility of magnetic media provided for Commission use during the matching fund submission process and mandatory audits of these publicly-funded campaign committees.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 11, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Joseph F. Stoltz, Deputy Assistant Staff Director; or Paul L. Laramee, Supervisory Computer Systems Analyst, Data Systems Development Division; 999 E Street N.W., Washington, D.C. 20463; (202) 219-3720 (Mr. Stoltz), (202) 219-3730 (Mr. Laramee), or (800) 424-9530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 21, 1990, the Federal Election Commission adopted a document entitled "Computerized Magnetic Media Requirements for Title 26 Candidates/Committees Receiving Federal Funding" ("CMMR"). The CMMR was revised on January 30, 1992 to reflect technological advances during the intervening period (see 57 FR 4453 (Feb. 5, 1992)), and again on January 11, 1996. This Notice summarizes the most recent revisions, which apply to all publicly-funded committees that participate in the 1996 presidential election.

The CMMR sets forth technical standards designed to ensure the compatibility of magnetic media provided for Commission use during the matching fund submission process and the mandatory audits of publicly-funded presidential campaign committees. Each presidential candidate must agree to maintain and provide computerized magnetic media in the format prescribed by the CMMR, if the committee maintains or uses computerized information containing any specified categories of data. See 11 CFR 9003.1(b)(4) and 9033.1(b)(5). The technical standards in the CMMR include general requirements for magnetic tape and magnetic diskettes, as well as file format specifications for records of receipts and disbursements, including contributors, vendors, invoices, bank accounts and check files.

In 1995, the Commission amended its public funding rules at 11 CFR 9036.2(a)(1)(vi) to give presidential committees the option of submitting contributions for matching funds through the use of digital imaging technology such as computer CD ROMs, instead of submitting paper photocopies of checks and deposit slips. The Commission has added Digital Image Specifications to the CMMR to provide

guidance to those committees that utilize this new option, as well as conforming amendments throughout the document.

The revised public funding rules require presidential campaign committee reports that contain schedules generated from computerized files to list in alphabetical order the sources of the receipts, the payees and the creditors. See 11 CFR 9006.3, 9037.4. The CMMR has accordingly been revised to include guidance on how to record these names.

Finally, the CMMR has been revised to reflect technological advances in computer software since the 1992 revisions. It thus provides campaigns with more options than the previous version of the CMMR. The Commission continues to encourage committees to provide samples of their magnetic tape or magnetic diskettes, so that the Commission may determine whether the samples comply with the specifications established.

The CMMR is included as Appendix 2 to the Commission's Finance Control and Compliance Manual For Presidential Primary Candidates Receiving Public Funding (Jan. 1996). This ensures distribution to the committees covered by these requirements. It is also available from the Commission's Public Records Office or the Audit Division.

Please note that the technical requirements found in the CMMR are not intended to promote or discourage the use of any particular computer system or software. The Commission believes that committees should have as much discretion as possible in selecting the computer equipment they wish to use, determining what types of financial records and information should be computerized, and deciding how the computerized information is maintained. However, committees are expected to present this financial information to the Commission in the format specified in the CMMR.

Dated: February 13, 1996.

Lee Ann Elliott,

Chairman, Federal Election Commission.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

ACTION: Notice of information collection to be submitted to OMB for review and