

Statutory provision	Statutory amount	2017–2018 limit
52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(A)	\$2,000	\$2,700
52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(B)	25,000	33,900
52 U.S.C. 30116(h)	35,000	47,400

The limitation at 52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(A) is to be in effect for the two-year period beginning on the first day following the date of the general election in the preceding year and ending on the date of the next regularly scheduled election. Thus the \$2,700 figure above is in effect from November 9, 2016, to November 6, 2018. The limitations under 52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(B) and 30116(h) shall be in effect beginning January 1st of the odd-numbered year and ending on December 31st of the next even-numbered year. Thus the new contribution limitations under 52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(B) and 30116(h) are in effect from January 1, 2017, to December 31, 2018. See 11 CFR 110.17(b)(1).

Lobbyist Bundling Disclosure Threshold for 2017

The Act requires certain political committees to disclose contributions bundled by lobbyists/registrants and lobbyist/registrant political action committees once the contributions exceed a specified threshold amount. 52 U.S.C. 30104(i)(1), (3)(A). The Commission must adjust this threshold amount annually to account for inflation. The disclosure threshold is increased by multiplying the \$15,000 statutory disclosure threshold by 1.19052, the difference between the price index, as certified to the Commission by the Secretary of Labor, for the 12 months preceding the beginning of the calendar year and the price index for the base period (calendar year 2006). The resulting amount is rounded to the nearest multiple of \$100. See 52 U.S.C. 30104(i)(3), 30116(c)(1)(B); 11 CFR 104.22(g). Based upon this formula (\$15,000 × 1.19052), the lobbyist bundling disclosure threshold for calendar year 2017 is \$17,900.

Dated: February 2, 2017.

On behalf of the Commission.

Steven T. Walther,
Chairman, Federal Election Commission.
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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

[Notice 2017–03]

Filing Dates for the California Special Election in the 34th Congressional District

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.
ACTION: Notice of filing dates for special election.

SUMMARY: California has scheduled a Special General Election on April 4, 2017, to fill the U.S. House of Representatives seat in the 34th Congressional District vacated by Representative Xavier Becerra. Under California law, a majority winner in a special election is declared elected. Should no candidate achieve a majority vote, a Special Runoff Election will be held on June 6, 2017, between the top two vote-getters.

Political committees participating in the California special elections are required to file pre- and post-election reports. Filing deadlines for these reports are affected by whether one or two elections are held.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Elizabeth S. Kurland, Information Division, 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20463; Telephone: (202) 694–1100; Toll Free (800) 424–9530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Principal Campaign Committees

All principal campaign committees of candidates who participate in the California Special General and Special Runoff Elections shall file a 12-day Pre-General Report on March 23, 2017; a 12-day Pre-Runoff Report on May 25, 2017; and a 30-day Post-Runoff Report on July

6, 2017. (See charts below for the closing date for each report.)

If only one election is held, all principal campaign committees of candidates in the Special General Election shall file a 12-day Pre-General Report on March 23, 2017; and a 30-day Post-General Report on May 4, 2017. (See charts below for the closing date for each report.)

Note that these reports are in addition to the campaign committee’s regular quarterly filings. (See charts below for the closing date for each report.)

Unauthorized Committees (PACs and Party Committees)

Political committees filing on a semi-annual basis in 2017 are subject to special election reporting if they make previously undisclosed contributions or expenditures in connection with the California Special General Election and/or Special Runoff Election by the close of books for the applicable report(s). (See charts below for the closing date for each report.)

Committees filing monthly that make contributions or expenditures in connection with the California Special General or Special Runoff Election will continue to file according to the monthly reporting schedule.

Additional disclosure information in connection with the California Special Election may be found on the FEC Web site at http://www.fec.gov/info/report_dates.shtml.

Disclosure of Lobbyist Bundling Activity

Principal campaign committees, party committees and Leadership PACs that are otherwise required to file reports in connection with the special elections must simultaneously file FEC Form 3L if they receive two or more bundled contributions from lobbyists/registrants or lobbyist/registrant PACs that aggregate in excess of \$17,900 during the special election reporting periods. (See charts below for closing date of each period.) 11 CFR 104.22(a)(5)(v), (b).

CALENDAR OF REPORTING DATES FOR CALIFORNIA SPECIAL ELECTION

Report	Close of Books ¹	Reg./Cert. and Overnight Mailing Deadline	Filing Deadline
If Only the Special General Is Held (04/04/17), Quarterly Filing Committees Involved Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
April Quarterly	03/31/17	04/15/17	² 04/15/17
Post-General	04/24/17	05/04/17	05/04/17
July Quarterly	06/30/17	07/15/17	² 07/15/17
If Only the Special General Is Held (04/04/17), Semi-Annual Filing Committees Involved Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
Post-General	04/24/17	05/04/17	05/04/17
Mid-Year	06/30/17	07/31/17	07/31/17
If Two Elections Are Held, Quarterly Filing Committees Involved Only in the Special General (04/04/17) Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
April Quarterly	03/31/17	04/15/17	² 04/15/17
If Two Elections Are Held, Semi-Annual Filing Committees Involved Only in the Special General (04/04/17) Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
Mid-Year	06/30/17	07/31/17	07/31/17
Quarterly Filing Committees Involved in the Special General (04/04/17) and Special Runoff (06/06/17) Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
April Quarterly	03/31/17	04/15/17	² 04/15/17
Pre-Runoff	05/17/17	05/22/17	05/25/17
Post-Runoff	06/26/17	07/06/17	07/06/17
July Quarterly	Waived		
October Quarterly	09/30/17	10/15/17	² 10/15/17
Semi-Annual Filing Committees Involved in the Special General (04/04/17) and Special Runoff (06/06/17) Must File:			
Pre-General	03/15/17	03/20/17	03/23/17
Pre-Runoff	05/17/17	05/22/17	05/25/17
Post-Runoff	06/30/17	07/22/17	07/22/17
Mid-Year	Waived		
Year-End	12/31/17	01/31/18	01/31/18
Quarterly Filing Committees Involved Only in the Special Runoff (06/06/17) Must File:			
Pre-Runoff	05/17/17	05/22/17	05/25/17
Post-Runoff	06/26/17	07/06/17	07/06/17
July Quarterly	Waived		
October Quarterly	09/30/17	10/15/17	² 10/15/17
Semi-Annual Filing Committees Involved Only in the Special Runoff (06/06/17) Must File:			
Pre-Runoff	05/17/17	05/22/17	05/25/17
Post-Runoff	06/30/17	07/22/17	07/22/17
Mid-Year	Waived		
Year-End	12/31/17	01/31/18	01/31/18

¹ The reporting period always begins the day after the closing date of the last report filed. If the committee is new and has not previously filed a report, the first report must cover all activity that occurred before the committee registered as a political committee up through the close of books for the first report due.

² Notice that this filing deadline falls on a weekend or federal holiday. Filing deadlines are not extended when they fall on nonworking days. Accordingly, reports filed by methods other than registered, certified or overnight mail must be received by close of business on the last business day before the deadline.

Dated: February 2, 2017.
On behalf of the Commission.

Steven T. Walther,
Chairman, Federal Election Commission.
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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreements Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreements under the Shipping Act of 1984. Interested parties may submit comments on the agreements to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within twelve days of the date this notice appears in the **Federal Register**. Copies of the agreements are available through the Commission's Web site (www.fmc.gov) or by contacting the Office of Agreements at (202)-523-5793 or tradeanalysis@fmc.gov.

Agreement No.: 012129-003.

Title: EUKOR/"K" Line Space Charter Agreement.

Parties: Eukor Car Carriers, INC.; and Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha, Ltd.

Filing Party: John Meade; "K" Line America, Inc.; General Counsel, "K" Line America, Inc.; 6009 Bethlehem Road Preston, MD 21655.

Synopsis: The amendment corrects clerical errors, makes changes to the agreement language to clarify that the agreement is a cross charter agreement, and clarifies language in the agreement related to dispute resolution.

Agreement No.: 012460.

Title: COSCO Shipping/PIL/WHL Vessel Sharing and Charter Agreement.

Parties: COSCO Shipping Lines Co., Ltd.; Pacific International Lines (Pte.) Ltd; Wan Hai Lines (Singapore) Pte. Ltd.; and Wan Hai Lines Ltd. (acting as a single party).

Filing Party: Eric. C. Jeffrey, Esq.; Nixon Peabody LLP; 799 9th Street NW., Suite 500; Washington, DC 20001.

Synopsis: The agreement would authorize the Parties to cooperate on joint services and slot charters in the trade between ports in China (including Hong Kong) and ports on the United States West Coast.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Dated: February 10, 2017.

Rachel E. Dickon,
Assistant Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is announcing an opportunity for the public to comment on CMS' intention to collect information from the public. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension or reinstatement of an existing collection of information, and to allow a second opportunity for public comment on the notice. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

DATES: Comments on the collection(s) of information must be received by the OMB desk officer by March 20, 2017.

ADDRESSES: When commenting on the proposed information collections, please reference the document identifier or OMB control number. To be assured consideration, comments and recommendations must be received by the OMB desk officer via one of the following transmissions: OMB, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: CMS Desk Officer, Fax Number: (202) 395-5806 OR, Email: OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov.

To obtain copies of a supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed collection(s) summarized in this notice, you may make your request using one of following:

1. Access CMS' Web site address at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PaperworkReductionActof1995>.
2. Email your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number,

and CMS document identifier, to Paperwork@cms.hhs.gov.

3. Call the Reports Clearance Office at (410) 786-1326.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Reports Clearance Office at (410) 786-1326.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. The term "collection of information" is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) and includes agency requests or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires federal agencies to publish a 30-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension or reinstatement of an existing collection of information, before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, CMS is publishing this notice that summarizes the following proposed collection(s) of information for public comment:

1. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Revision of a currently approved information collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Cost-Sharing Reduction Reconciliation Information Collection; *Use:* Under established Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) regulations, qualified health plan (QHP) issuers will receive estimated advance payments of cost-sharing reductions throughout the year. Each issuer will then be subject to a reconciliation process at the end of the benefit year to ensure that HHS reimburses each issuer only for actual cost sharing. This revised collection adds three optional data elements, a Policy Identification number, Policy Start Date, and Policy End Date, and proposes to make optional most summary plan level reporting. *Form Number:* CMS-10526 (OMB control number: 0938-1266). *Frequency:* Once, Annually; *Affected Public:* Private Sector—Not-for-profit institutions; *Number of Respondents:* 295; *Number of Responses:* 4,000,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 5,373. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Pat Meisol at 410-786-1917.)