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S10

[SPONSOR'S STATEMENT:](#) (Begins on page 9 of original bill) [Yes](#)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: **ASSEMBLY:** No

[SENATE:](#) [Yes](#)

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

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A10

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SENATE, No. 10

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 211th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED MAY 20, 2004

Sponsored by:

Senator FRED MADDEN

District 4 (Camden and Gloucester)

SYNOPSIS

Requires certain campaign treasurers and all organizational treasurers to be trained and certified by ELEC.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 AN ACT concerning the training and certification of campaign
2 treasurers and organizational treasurers by the Election Law
3 Enforcement Commission and amending P.L.1973, c.83.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
6 of New Jersey:

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8 1. Section 6 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6) is amended to read as
9 follows:

10 6. a. The commission shall appoint a full-time executive director,
11 legal counsel and hearing officers, all of whom shall serve at the
12 pleasure of the commission and shall not have tenure by reason of the
13 provisions of chapter 16 of Title 38 of the Revised Statutes. The
14 commission shall also appoint such other employees as are necessary
15 to carry out the purposes of this act, which employees shall be in the
16 classified service of the civil service and shall be appointed in
17 accordance with and shall be subject to the provisions of Title 11, Civil
18 Service.

19 b. It shall be the duty of the commission to enforce the provisions
20 of this act, to conduct hearings with regard to possible violations and
21 to impose penalties; and for the effectual carrying out of its
22 enforcement responsibilities the commission shall have the authority
23 to initiate a civil action in any court of competent jurisdiction for the
24 purpose of enforcing compliance with the provisions of this act or
25 enjoining violations thereof or recovering any penalty prescribed by
26 this act. The commission shall promulgate such regulations and
27 official forms and perform such duties as are necessary to implement
28 the provisions of this act. Without limiting the generality of the
29 foregoing, the commission is authorized and empowered to:

30 (1) Develop forms for the making of the required reports;

31 (2) Prepare and publish a manual for all candidates, political
32 committees and continuing political committees, prescribing the
33 requirements of the law, including uniform methods of bookkeeping
34 and reporting and requirements as to the length of time that any person
35 required to keep any records pursuant to the provisions of this act
36 shall retain such records, or any class or category thereof, or any
37 other documents, including canceled checks, deposit slips, invoices
38 and other similar documents, necessary for the compilation of such
39 records;

40 (3) Develop a filing, coding and cross-indexing system;

41 (4) Permit copying or photo-copying of any report required to be
42 submitted pursuant to this act as requested by any person;

43 (5) Prepare and make available for public inspection summaries of

EXPLANATION - Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 all said reports grouped according to candidates, parties and issues,
2 containing the total receipts and expenditures, and the date, name,
3 address and amount contributed by each contributor;

4 (6) Prepare and publish, prior to May 1 of each year, an annual
5 report to the Legislature;

6 (7) Ascertain whether candidates, committees, organizations or
7 others have failed to file reports or have filed defective reports;
8 extend, for good cause shown, the dates upon which reports are
9 required to be filed; give notice to delinquents to correct or explain
10 defects; and make available for public inspection a list of such
11 delinquents;

12 (8) Ascertain the total expenditures for candidates and determine
13 whether they have exceeded the limits set forth in this act; notify
14 candidates, committees or others if they have exceeded or are about
15 to exceed the limits imposed;

16 (9) Hold public hearings, investigate allegations of any violations
17 of this act, and issue subpoenas for the production of documents and
18 the attendance of witnesses;

19 (10) Forward to the Attorney General or to the appropriate county
20 prosecutor information concerning any violations of this act which may
21 become the subject of criminal prosecution or which may warrant the
22 institution of other legal proceedings by the Attorney General.

23 c. The commission shall take such steps as may be necessary or
24 appropriate to furnish timely and adequate information, in appropriate
25 printed summaries and in such other form as it may see fit, to every
26 candidate or prospective candidate for public office who becomes or
27 is likely to become subject to the provisions of this act, and to every
28 treasurer and depository duly designated under the provisions of this
29 act, informing them of their actual or prospective obligations and
30 responsibilities under this act. Such steps shall include, but not be
31 limited to, furnishing to every person on whose behalf petitions of
32 nomination are filed for any public office a copy of such printed
33 summary as aforesaid, which shall be furnished to such person by the
34 commission through the public official charged with the responsibility
35 of receiving and accepting such petitions of nomination, at the time
36 when such petitions are filed. The commission shall also make
37 available copies of such printed summary to any other person
38 requesting the same. The commission shall also take such steps as it
39 may deem necessary or effectual to disseminate among the general
40 public such information as may serve to guide all persons who may
41 become subject to the provisions of this act by reason of their
42 participation in election campaigns or in the dissemination of political
43 information, for the purpose of facilitating voluntary compliance with
44 the provisions and purposes of this act. In the dissemination of such
45 information, the commission shall to the greatest extent practicable
46 enlist the cooperation of commercial purveyors, within and without the

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1 State, of materials and services commonly used for political campaign
2 purposes.

3 d. If the nomination for or election to any public office or party
4 position becomes void under the terms of subsection c. of section 21
5 of this act, the withholding or revocation of his certificate of election,
6 the omission of his name from the ballot or the vacation of the office
7 into which he has been inducted as a result of such void election, as
8 the case may be, shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 3,
9 articles 2 and 3, of this Title (R.S. 19:3-7 et seq.).

10 e. The commission shall be assigned suitable quarters for the
11 performance of its duties hereunder.

12 f. The commission through its legal counsel is authorized to render
13 advisory opinions as to whether a given set of facts and circumstances
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15 whether a given set of facts and circumstances would render any
16 person subject to any of the reporting requirements of this act.

17 Unless an extension of time is consented to by any person
18 requesting an advisory opinion, the commission shall render its
19 advisory opinion within 10 days of receipt of the request therefor.
20 Failure of the commission to reply to a request for an advisory
21 opinion within the time so fixed or agreed to shall preclude it from
22 instituting proceedings for imposition of a penalty upon any person
23 for a violation of this act arising out of the particular facts and
24 circumstances set forth in such request, except as such facts and
25 circumstances may give rise to a violation when taken in conjunction
26 with other facts and circumstances not set forth in such request.

27 g. The commission shall establish a training program for campaign
28 treasurers and organizational treasurers, and shall certify any person
29 who successfully completes such program as a trained treasurer for a
30 period of four years.

31 (cf: P.L.1983, c.579, s.10)

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33 2. Section 9 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-9) is amended to read as
34 follows:

35 9. a. Unless already established, each candidate, as defined in
36 paragraph (1) of subsection c. of section 3 of P.L.1973, c.83
37 (C.19:44A-3), shall, no later than the date on which that candidate
38 first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any expenditures in
39 connection with an election, establish (1) a candidate committee, (2)
40 a joint candidates committee, or (3) both, for the purpose of receiving
41 contributions and making expenditures. No person serving as the
42 chairman of a political party committee or a legislative leadership
43 committee shall be eligible to be appointed or to serve as the chairman
44 of a candidate committee or joint candidates committee, other than a
45 candidate committee or joint candidates committee established to
46 further the nomination for election or the election of that person as a

1 candidate for public office. Subsequent to an election, a candidate,
2 whether or not successful in that election, shall maintain a candidate
3 committee or a joint candidates committee so long as contributions are
4 received or expenditures made by that former candidate. An elected
5 officeholder who receives contributions and who has not maintained
6 a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee shall establish
7 a candidate committee, a joint candidates committee, or both, in a
8 timely manner for the purpose of receiving contributions and making
9 expenditures.

10 b. (1) The candidate or candidates, as the case may be, shall file
11 with the Election Law Enforcement Commission a certificate of
12 organization on a form prescribed by the commission. The certificate
13 shall identify the name of the committee, which shall be the sole name
14 under which the committee receives contributions, makes expenditures
15 and otherwise does business and which shall include the surname or
16 surnames, as appropriate, of the candidate or candidates, except that
17 in the case of a joint candidates committee, the name of the committee
18 need not include such surnames if it identifies the legislative district,
19 county, municipality or other jurisdiction in which the candidates
20 jointly seek nomination for election or election and, in any case in
21 which they seek nomination for election or election as the candidates
22 of a political party, the name of that party, provided that no joint
23 candidates committee so named shall take the same name as that of
24 any committee of a political party or another joint candidates
25 committee. In the case of a candidate committee, the name of the
26 committee shall identify the office sought by the candidate. The
27 certificate shall provide for the initial appointment by the candidate, or
28 candidates, of a campaign treasurer and for the designation by the
29 candidate, or candidates, of that treasurer of the candidate committee,
30 or joint candidates committee, as the campaign treasurer of the
31 candidate, or candidates, for the purposes of subsection a. of section
32 8 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-8) and shall generally identify and be
33 signed by the candidate, or candidates, and the chairman and the
34 treasurer of the candidate committee or joint candidates committee, as
35 the case may be. No person serving as the chairman of a political
36 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
37 to be appointed or to serve as the treasurer of a candidate committee
38 or joint candidates committee, other than a candidate committee or
39 joint candidates committee established to further the nomination for
40 election or the election of that person as a candidate for public office.
41 The certificate shall be filed prior to or simultaneously with the filing
42 of a notification of the designation of a campaign depository as
43 provided under subsection c. of this section. Upon the filing of such
44 a certificate of organization and until the termination of the committee,
45 the candidate committee or joint candidates committee shall file the
46 reports which the campaign treasurer or treasurers of the candidate or

1 candidates would otherwise be required to file under subsection a. of
2 section 16 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-16).

3 (2) Each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
4 candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate,
5 the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be a certified
6 trained treasurer, pursuant to subsection g. of section 6 of P.L.1973,
7 c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall acquire such certification within 90 days
8 of designation as a campaign treasurer. Any other campaign treasurer
9 of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee may acquire
10 certification as a trained treasurer.

11 c. Each candidate, or the candidates comprising a joint candidates
12 committee, shall designate a campaign depository. Any bank
13 authorized by law to transact business in the State may be designated
14 as the campaign depository. Notification of the designation of the
15 campaign depository shall be made by the candidate's, candidates' or
16 committee's filing the name and address of such depository with the
17 Election Law Enforcement Commission no later than the tenth day
18 after receipt by the candidate or the committee of any contribution on
19 behalf of the candidate or candidates or after the making or incurring
20 by the candidate or candidates of any expenditure on behalf of that
21 candidacy, whichever comes first.

22 d. Each candidate and campaign treasurer shall certify the
23 correctness of each report filed by the candidate committee or joint
24 candidates committee with the commission and that each report
25 conforms with the limitations on contributions and expenditures
26 provided for in sections 18, 19 and 20 of P.L.1993, c.65
27 (C.19:44A-11.3, C.19:44A-11.4 and C.19:44A-11.5).

28 e. A campaign treasurer of a candidate or candidates may appoint
29 deputy campaign treasurers as required and may designate additional
30 campaign depositories in each county in which the campaign is
31 conducted. The candidate or candidates shall file the names and
32 addresses of deputy campaign treasurers and additional campaign
33 depositories with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

34 f. A candidate or candidates may remove a campaign treasurer or
35 deputy campaign treasurer. In the case of the death, resignation or
36 removal of a campaign treasurer, the candidate or candidates shall
37 appoint a successor as soon as practicable and shall file the name and
38 address of that person with the Election Law Enforcement
39 Commission within three days. A candidate may serve as his or her
40 own campaign treasurer. One of the candidates in a joint candidates
41 committee may serve as the campaign treasurer of the entire
42 committee.

43 g. An individual who is a candidate for two or more public offices
44 in an election or in separate elections shall establish separate candidate
45 committees or separate joint candidates committees or both for each
46 office contested.

1 h. (1) On and after the 366th day following the effective date of
2 P.L.1993, c.65, no candidate shall establish, authorize the
3 establishment of, maintain, or participate directly or indirectly in the
4 management or control of, any political committee or any continuing
5 political committee. Within one year after the enactment of this act,
6 every candidate who maintains, or who participates either directly or
7 indirectly in the management or control of, one or more political
8 committees or one or more continuing political committees, or both,
9 shall wind up or cause to be wound up the affairs of those committees
10 in accordance with the provisions of section 8 of P.L.1973, c.83
11 (C.19:44A-8) and transfer all of the funds therein into a candidate
12 committee or a joint candidates committee. All funds thus transferred
13 shall be subject to the provisions of section 17 of P.L.1993, c.65
14 (C.19:44A-11.2).

15 (2) The person or persons having control over a legislative
16 leadership committee shall not be required to wind up the affairs of
17 that committee but shall be required to conform to the requirements
18 of paragraph (1) of this subsection with regard to any other political
19 committees or continuing political committees under the control of the
20 person or persons and used by that person for the purpose of receiving
21 contributions and making expenditures.

22 (cf: P.L.1995, c.194, s.2)

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24 3. Section 10 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-10) is amended to read
25 as follows:

26 10. Each political party committee shall, on or before July 1 in each
27 year, designate a single organizational treasurer and an organizational
28 depository and shall, not later than the tenth day after the designation
29 of the organizational depository file the name and address of that
30 depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the Election Law
31 Enforcement Commission.

32 Every political committee may designate a chairman of the
33 committee, but no person serving as the chairman of a political party
34 committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible to be
35 appointed or to serve as the chairman of a political committee. Every
36 political committee shall, not later than the date on which it first
37 receives any contribution or makes or incurs any expenditure in the
38 furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any candidate or the
39 passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a single campaign
40 treasurer and designate a campaign depository, but no person serving
41 as the chairman of a political party committee or a legislative
42 leadership committee shall be eligible to be appointed or to serve as
43 the campaign treasurer of a political committee. Not later than the
44 tenth day after the initial designation of the campaign depository, the
45 committee shall file the name and address of the depository, and of the
46 campaign treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

1 Every continuing political committee shall, not later than the date
2 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
3 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
4 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
5 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
6 depository, provided that no person who is the chairman of a political
7 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
8 to be appointed or to serve as the organizational treasurer of a
9 continuing political committee. Not later than the tenth day after the
10 initial designation of the organizational depository, the committee shall
11 file the name and address of the depository, and of the organizational
12 treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

13 Every legislative leadership committee shall, not later than the date
14 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
15 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
16 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
17 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
18 depository. Not later than the tenth day after the initial designation of
19 the organizational depository, the committee shall file the name and
20 address of the depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the
21 Election Law Enforcement Commission.

22 Each organizational treasurer of a political party committee, a
23 continuing political committee or a legislative leadership committee
24 and each campaign treasurer of a political committee shall be a
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26 P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall acquire such certification within
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28 treasurer.

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31 and a campaign treasurer of a political committee may appoint deputy
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33 designate additional organizational or campaign depositories. Such
34 committees shall file the names and addresses of such deputy
35 treasurers and additional depositories with the Election Law
36 Enforcement Commission not later than the fifth day after their
37 appointment or designation, respectively.

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42 its organizational or campaign treasurer, the committee shall appoint
43 a successor as soon as practicable and shall file his name and address
44 with the Election Law Enforcement Commission within three days.
45 (cf: P.L.1993, c.65, s.5)

1 4. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after enactment.

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STATEMENT

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6 This bill requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission
7 (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and
8 organizational treasurers. ELEC will certify any person who
9 successfully completes such program as a trained treasurer for a period
10 of four years.

11 The bill requires that each person becoming a campaign treasurer
12 of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a
13 candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the
14 office of Governor will be a certified trained treasurer or will acquire
15 the certification within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer.
16 Any other campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
17 candidates committee may acquire certification as a trained treasurer.
18 In addition, the bill requires that each organizational treasurer of a
19 political party committee, a continuing political committee or a
20 legislative leadership committee and each campaign treasurer of a
21 political committee be a certified trained treasurer or acquire the
22 certification within 90 days of appointment as an organizational
23 treasurer or a campaign treasurer. The bill takes effect 90 days after
24 enactment.

P.L. 2004, CHAPTER 22, *approved June 16, 2004*
Senate, No. 10 (*First Reprint*)

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Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹ Senate SSG committee amendments adopted June 7, 2004.

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35 (cf: P.L.1983, c.579, s.10)

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17 under which the committee receives contributions, makes expenditures
18 and otherwise does business and which shall include the surname or
19 surnames, as appropriate, of the candidate or candidates, except that
20 in the case of a joint candidates committee, the name of the committee
21 need not include such surnames if it identifies the legislative district,
22 county, municipality or other jurisdiction in which the candidates
23 jointly seek nomination for election or election and, in any case in
24 which they seek nomination for election or election as the candidates
25 of a political party, the name of that party, provided that no joint
26 candidates committee so named shall take the same name as that of
27 any committee of a political party or another joint candidates
28 committee. In the case of a candidate committee, the name of the
29 committee shall identify the office sought by the candidate. The
30 certificate shall provide for the initial appointment by the candidate, or
31 candidates, of a campaign treasurer and for the designation by the
32 candidate, or candidates, of that treasurer of the candidate committee,
33 or joint candidates committee, as the campaign treasurer of the
34 candidate, or candidates, for the purposes of subsection a. of section
35 8 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-8) and shall generally identify and be
36 signed by the candidate, or candidates, and the chairman and the
37 treasurer of the candidate committee or joint candidates committee, as
38 the case may be. No person serving as the chairman of a political
39 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
40 to be appointed or to serve as the treasurer of a candidate committee
41 or joint candidates committee, other than a candidate committee or
42 joint candidates committee established to further the nomination for
43 election or the election of that person as a candidate for public office.
44 The certificate shall be filed prior to or simultaneously with the filing
45 of a notification of the designation of a campaign depository as
46 provided under subsection c. of this section. Upon the filing of such
47 a certificate of organization and until the termination of the committee,

1 the candidate committee or joint candidates committee shall file the
2 reports which the campaign treasurer or treasurers of the candidate or
3 candidates would otherwise be required to file under subsection a. of
4 section 16 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-16).

5 (2) Each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
6 candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate,
7 the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be a
8 ¹[certified]¹ trained treasurer, pursuant to subsection g. of section 6
9 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall acquire such ¹[certification]
10 training¹ within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer. Any
11 other campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
12 candidates committee may ¹[acquire certification as] be¹ a trained
13 treasurer.

14 c. Each candidate, or the candidates comprising a joint candidates
15 committee, shall designate a campaign depository. Any bank
16 authorized by law to transact business in the State may be designated
17 as the campaign depository. Notification of the designation of the
18 campaign depository shall be made by the candidate's, candidates' or
19 committee's filing the name and address of such depository with the
20 Election Law Enforcement Commission no later than the tenth day
21 after receipt by the candidate or the committee of any contribution on
22 behalf of the candidate or candidates or after the making or incurring
23 by the candidate or candidates of any expenditure on behalf of that
24 candidacy, whichever comes first.

25 d. Each candidate and campaign treasurer shall certify the
26 correctness of each report filed by the candidate committee or joint
27 candidates committee with the commission and that each report
28 conforms with the limitations on contributions and expenditures
29 provided for in sections 18, 19 and 20 of P.L.1993, c.65
30 (C.19:44A-11.3, C.19:44A-11.4 and C.19:44A-11.5).

31 e. A campaign treasurer of a candidate or candidates may appoint
32 deputy campaign treasurers as required and may designate additional
33 campaign depositories in each county in which the campaign is
34 conducted. The candidate or candidates shall file the names and
35 addresses of deputy campaign treasurers and additional campaign
36 depositories with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

37 f. A candidate or candidates may remove a campaign treasurer or
38 deputy campaign treasurer. In the case of the death, resignation or
39 removal of a campaign treasurer, the candidate or candidates shall
40 appoint a successor as soon as practicable and shall file the name and
41 address of that person with the Election Law Enforcement
42 Commission within three days. A candidate may serve as his or her
43 own campaign treasurer. One of the candidates in a joint candidates
44 committee may serve as the campaign treasurer of the entire
45 committee.

46 g. An individual who is a candidate for two or more public offices
47 in an election or in separate elections shall establish separate candidate

1 committees or separate joint candidates committees or both for each
2 office contested.

3 h. (1) On and after the 366th day following the effective date of
4 P.L.1993, c.65, no candidate shall establish, authorize the
5 establishment of, maintain, or participate directly or indirectly in the
6 management or control of, any political committee or any continuing
7 political committee. Within one year after the enactment of this act,
8 every candidate who maintains, or who participates either directly or
9 indirectly in the management or control of, one or more political
10 committees or one or more continuing political committees, or both,
11 shall wind up or cause to be wound up the affairs of those committees
12 in accordance with the provisions of section 8 of P.L.1973, c.83
13 (C.19:44A-8) and transfer all of the funds therein into a candidate
14 committee or a joint candidates committee. All funds thus transferred
15 shall be subject to the provisions of section 17 of P.L.1993, c.65
16 (C.19:44A-11.2).

17 (2) The person or persons having control over a legislative
18 leadership committee shall not be required to wind up the affairs of
19 that committee but shall be required to conform to the requirements
20 of paragraph (1) of this subsection with regard to any other political
21 committees or continuing political committees under the control of the
22 person or persons and used by that person for the purpose of receiving
23 contributions and making expenditures.
24 (cf: P.L.1995, c.194, s.2)

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26 3. Section 10 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-10) is amended to read
27 as follows:

28 10. Each political party committee shall, on or before July 1 in each
29 year, designate a single organizational treasurer and an organizational
30 depository and shall, not later than the tenth day after the designation
31 of the organizational depository file the name and address of that
32 depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the Election Law
33 Enforcement Commission.

34 Every political committee may designate a chairman of the
35 committee, but no person serving as the chairman of a political party
36 committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible to be
37 appointed or to serve as the chairman of a political committee. Every
38 political committee shall, not later than the date on which it first
39 receives any contribution or makes or incurs any expenditure in the
40 furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any candidate or the
41 passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a single campaign
42 treasurer and designate a campaign depository, but no person serving
43 as the chairman of a political party committee or a legislative
44 leadership committee shall be eligible to be appointed or to serve as
45 the campaign treasurer of a political committee. Not later than the
46 tenth day after the initial designation of the campaign depository, the
47 committee shall file the name and address of the depository, and of the

1 campaign treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

2 Every continuing political committee shall, not later than the date
3 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
4 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
5 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
6 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
7 depository, provided that no person who is the chairman of a political
8 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
9 to be appointed or to serve as the organizational treasurer of a
10 continuing political committee. Not later than the tenth day after the
11 initial designation of the organizational depository, the committee shall
12 file the name and address of the depository, and of the organizational
13 treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

14 Every legislative leadership committee shall, not later than the date
15 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
16 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
17 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
18 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
19 depository. Not later than the tenth day after the initial designation of
20 the organizational depository, the committee shall file the name and
21 address of the depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the
22 Election Law Enforcement Commission.

23 Each organizational treasurer of a ¹State¹ political party
24 committee ¹[, a continuing political committee] ¹or a legislative
25 leadership committee ¹[and each campaign treasurer of a political
26 committee]¹ shall be a ¹[certified]¹ trained treasurer, pursuant to
27 subsection g. of section 6 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall
28 acquire such ¹[certification] training¹ within 90 days of appointment
29 as an organizational treasurer ¹[or a campaign treasurer]¹ . ¹An
30 organizational treasurer of any other political party committee or a
31 continuing political committee and a campaign treasurer of a political
32 committee may be a trained treasurer.¹

33 An organizational treasurer of a political party committee, a
34 continuing political committee, or a legislative leadership committee
35 and a campaign treasurer of a political committee may appoint deputy
36 organizational or campaign treasurers as may be required and may
37 designate additional organizational or campaign depositories. Such
38 committees shall file the names and addresses of such deputy
39 treasurers and additional depositories with the Election Law
40 Enforcement Commission not later than the fifth day after their
41 appointment or designation, respectively.

42 Any political party committee, any political committee, any
43 continuing political committee and any legislative leadership
44 committee may remove its organizational or campaign treasurer or
45 deputy treasurer. In the case of the death, resignation or removal of
46 its organizational or campaign treasurer, the committee shall appoint
47 a successor as soon as practicable and shall file his name and address

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1 with the Election Law Enforcement Commission within three days.
2 (cf: P.L.1993, c.65, s.5)

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4 4. This act shall take effect on the ¹[90th] 180th¹ day after
5 enactment.

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9 Requires certain campaign and organizational treasurers to be trained
10 by ELEC.

SENATE STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 10

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 3, 2004

The Senate State Government Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Senate, No. 10.

As amended, this bill requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and organizational treasurers. It provides that ELEC will make the program available through its Internet site within one year of the effective date of the bill.

The bill requires each person becoming a campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor, to be a trained treasurer, or to acquire the training within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer. In addition, the bill requires the organizational treasurer of a State political party committee or a legislative leadership committee to be a trained treasurer, or to acquire the training within 90 days of appointment as an organizational treasurer. The ELEC training will be optional for other campaign and organizational treasurers. The bill takes effect 180 days after enactment.

The committee amended the bill to (1) remove the provision that ELEC certify persons who complete the training program, (2) require that ELEC make the training program available through its Internet site within one year of its effective date, and (3) provide that only the organizational treasurer of a State political party committee or a legislative leadership committee be a trained treasurer. Training will be optional for other organizational treasurers. The committee also amended the bill to change its effective date from 90 days to 180 days after enactment.

This bill, as amended, is the same as Senate, No.10 (1R) of 2004.

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE

[First Reprint]

SENATE, No. 10

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

211th LEGISLATURE

DATED: JUNE 23, 2004

SUMMARY

Synopsis: Requires certain campaign treasurers and organizational treasurers to be trained by ELEC.

Type of Impact: Minimal Expenditure. General Fund.

Agencies Affected: Department of Law and Public Safety, Election Law Enforcement Commission

Office of Legislative Services Estimate

Fiscal Impact	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
State Cost		Minimal Expenditure	

- ! Requires the commission to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and campaign organizational treasurers.
- ! Specifies that training shall be made available through ELEC's Internet site within one year of the effective date.
- ! Directs that each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidate committee for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be a trained as a treasurer.
- ! Establishes that each organizational treasurer of a State political party or legislative leadership committee be a trained treasurer or acquire training within 90 days of appointment.

BILL DESCRIPTION

Senate Bill No. 10 (1R) of 2004 requires certain campaign treasurers and campaign organizational treasurers to be trained by Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC).

The bill specifies certain campaign treasurers including those for a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be trained and certified as a treasurer. The bill requires the treasurers of each political party committee or legislative leadership committee be trained within 90 days of appointment.

Additionally, this bill establishes that training shall be made available through ELEC's Internet site within one year of the effective date.

Currently, there is no training requirements for candidate or organization treasurers.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

None received.

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

The Office of Legislative Services (OLS) estimates the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) could incur minimal expenditures as a result of this bill. According to information provided informally by the ELEC, an optional training program currently exists and ELEC training is available through the State office.

Although the ELEC currently provides training to individuals who request it, this bill mandates training for certain treasurers of State campaigns which will increase the commissions training responsibilities. The bill does not establish a minimum or maximum standard for the ELEC, thus if ELEC instituted a higher level of training then it currently provides the cost may increase.

Finally, OLS notes that there are several bills requesting additional provisions be enacted by ELEC in 2004. If a combination of these provisions are passed, more staff and funding may be needed.

Section: *Law and Public Safety Section*

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Legislative Budget and Finance Officer

This fiscal estimate has been prepared pursuant to P.L.1980, c.67.

ASSEMBLY, No. 10

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

211th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED MAY 17, 2004

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SYNOPSIS

Requires certain campaign treasurers and all organizational treasurers to be trained and certified by ELEC.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.

(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 5/25/2004)

1 AN ACT concerning the training and certification of campaign
2 treasurers and organizational treasurers by the Election Law
3 Enforcement Commission and amending P.L.1973, c.83.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
6 of New Jersey:

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8 1. Section 6 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6) is amended to read as
9 follows:

10 6. a. The commission shall appoint a full-time executive director,
11 legal counsel and hearing officers, all of whom shall serve at the
12 pleasure of the commission and shall not have tenure by reason of the
13 provisions of chapter 16 of Title 38 of the Revised Statutes. The
14 commission shall also appoint such other employees as are necessary
15 to carry out the purposes of this act, which employees shall be in the
16 classified service of the civil service and shall be appointed in
17 accordance with and shall be subject to the provisions of Title 11, Civil
18 Service.

19 b. It shall be the duty of the commission to enforce the provisions
20 of this act, to conduct hearings with regard to possible violations and
21 to impose penalties; and for the effectual carrying out of its
22 enforcement responsibilities the commission shall have the authority
23 to initiate a civil action in any court of competent jurisdiction for the
24 purpose of enforcing compliance with the provisions of this act or
25 enjoining violations thereof or recovering any penalty prescribed by
26 this act. The commission shall promulgate such regulations and
27 official forms and perform such duties as are necessary to implement
28 the provisions of this act. Without limiting the generality of the
29 foregoing, the commission is authorized and empowered to:

30 (1) Develop forms for the making of the required reports;

31 (2) Prepare and publish a manual for all candidates, political
32 committees and continuing political committees, prescribing the
33 requirements of the law, including uniform methods of bookkeeping
34 and reporting and requirements as to the length of time that any person
35 required to keep any records pursuant to the provisions of this act
36 shall retain such records, or any class or category thereof, or any
37 other documents, including canceled checks, deposit slips, invoices
38 and other similar documents, necessary for the compilation of such
39 records;

40 (3) Develop a filing, coding and cross-indexing system;

41 (4) Permit copying or photo-copying of any report required to be
42 submitted pursuant to this act as requested by any person;

43 (5) Prepare and make available for public inspection summaries of

EXPLANATION - Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 all said reports grouped according to candidates, parties and issues,
2 containing the total receipts and expenditures, and the date, name,
3 address and amount contributed by each contributor;

4 (6) Prepare and publish, prior to May 1 of each year, an annual
5 report to the Legislature;

6 (7) Ascertain whether candidates, committees, organizations or
7 others have failed to file reports or have filed defective reports;
8 extend, for good cause shown, the dates upon which reports are
9 required to be filed; give notice to delinquents to correct or explain
10 defects; and make available for public inspection a list of such
11 delinquents;

12 (8) Ascertain the total expenditures for candidates and determine
13 whether they have exceeded the limits set forth in this act; notify
14 candidates, committees or others if they have exceeded or are about
15 to exceed the limits imposed;

16 (9) Hold public hearings, investigate allegations of any violations
17 of this act, and issue subpoenas for the production of documents and
18 the attendance of witnesses;

19 (10) Forward to the Attorney General or to the appropriate county
20 prosecutor information concerning any violations of this act which may
21 become the subject of criminal prosecution or which may warrant the
22 institution of other legal proceedings by the Attorney General.

23 c. The commission shall take such steps as may be necessary or
24 appropriate to furnish timely and adequate information, in appropriate
25 printed summaries and in such other form as it may see fit, to every
26 candidate or prospective candidate for public office who becomes or
27 is likely to become subject to the provisions of this act, and to every
28 treasurer and depository duly designated under the provisions of this
29 act, informing them of their actual or prospective obligations and
30 responsibilities under this act. Such steps shall include, but not be
31 limited to, furnishing to every person on whose behalf petitions of
32 nomination are filed for any public office a copy of such printed
33 summary as aforesaid, which shall be furnished to such person by the
34 commission through the public official charged with the responsibility
35 of receiving and accepting such petitions of nomination, at the time
36 when such petitions are filed. The commission shall also make
37 available copies of such printed summary to any other person
38 requesting the same. The commission shall also take such steps as it
39 may deem necessary or effectual to disseminate among the general
40 public such information as may serve to guide all persons who may
41 become subject to the provisions of this act by reason of their
42 participation in election campaigns or in the dissemination of political
43 information, for the purpose of facilitating voluntary compliance with
44 the provisions and purposes of this act. In the dissemination of such
45 information, the commission shall to the greatest extent practicable
46 enlist the cooperation of commercial purveyors, within and without the

1 State, of materials and services commonly used for political campaign
2 purposes.

3 d. If the nomination for or election to any public office or party
4 position becomes void under the terms of subsection c. of section 21
5 of this act, the withholding or revocation of his certificate of election,
6 the omission of his name from the ballot or the vacation of the office
7 into which he has been inducted as a result of such void election, as
8 the case may be, shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 3,
9 articles 2 and 3, of this Title (R.S.19:3-7 et seq.).

10 e. The commission shall be assigned suitable quarters for the
11 performance of its duties hereunder.

12 f. The commission through its legal counsel is authorized to render
13 advisory opinions as to whether a given set of facts and circumstances
14 would constitute a violation of any of the provisions of this act, or
15 whether a given set of facts and circumstances would render any
16 person subject to any of the reporting requirements of this act.

17 Unless an extension of time is consented to by any person
18 requesting an advisory opinion, the commission shall render its
19 advisory opinion within 10 days of receipt of the request therefor.
20 Failure of the commission to reply to a request for an advisory opinion
21 within the time so fixed or agreed to shall preclude it from instituting
22 proceedings for imposition of a penalty upon any person for a
23 violation of this act arising out of the particular facts and
24 circumstances set forth in such request, except as such facts and
25 circumstances may give rise to a violation when taken in conjunction
26 with other facts and circumstances not set forth in such request.

27 g. The commission shall establish a training program for campaign
28 treasurers and organizational treasurers, and shall certify any person
29 who successfully completes such program as a trained treasurer for a
30 period of four years.

31 (cf: P.L.1983, c.579, s.10)

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33 2. Section 9 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-9) is amended to read as
34 follows:

35 9. a. Unless already established, each candidate, as defined in
36 paragraph (1) of subsection c. of section 3 of P.L.1973, c.83
37 (C.19:44A-3), shall, no later than the date on which that candidate
38 first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any expenditures in
39 connection with an election, establish (1) a candidate committee, (2)
40 a joint candidates committee, or (3) both, for the purpose of receiving
41 contributions and making expenditures. No person serving as the
42 chairman of a political party committee or a legislative leadership
43 committee shall be eligible to be appointed or to serve as the chairman
44 of a candidate committee or joint candidates committee, other than a
45 candidate committee or joint candidates committee established to
46 further the nomination for election or the election of that person as a

1 candidate for public office. Subsequent to an election, a candidate,
2 whether or not successful in that election, shall maintain a candidate
3 committee or a joint candidates committee so long as contributions are
4 received or expenditures made by that former candidate. An elected
5 officeholder who receives contributions and who has not maintained
6 a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee shall establish
7 a candidate committee, a joint candidates committee, or both, in a
8 timely manner for the purpose of receiving contributions and making
9 expenditures.

10 b. (1) The candidate or candidates, as the case may be, shall file
11 with the Election Law Enforcement Commission a certificate of
12 organization on a form prescribed by the commission. The certificate
13 shall identify the name of the committee, which shall be the sole name
14 under which the committee receives contributions, makes expenditures
15 and otherwise does business and which shall include the surname or
16 surnames, as appropriate, of the candidate or candidates, except that
17 in the case of a joint candidates committee, the name of the committee
18 need not include such surnames if it identifies the legislative district,
19 county, municipality or other jurisdiction in which the candidates
20 jointly seek nomination for election or election and, in any case in
21 which they seek nomination for election or election as the candidates
22 of a political party, the name of that party, provided that no joint
23 candidates committee so named shall take the same name as that of
24 any committee of a political party or another joint candidates
25 committee. In the case of a candidate committee, the name of the
26 committee shall identify the office sought by the candidate. The
27 certificate shall provide for the initial appointment by the candidate, or
28 candidates, of a campaign treasurer and for the designation by the
29 candidate, or candidates, of that treasurer of the candidate committee,
30 or joint candidates committee, as the campaign treasurer of the
31 candidate, or candidates, for the purposes of subsection a. of section
32 8 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-8) and shall generally identify and be
33 signed by the candidate, or candidates, and the chairman and the
34 treasurer of the candidate committee or joint candidates committee, as
35 the case may be. No person serving as the chairman of a political
36 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
37 to be appointed or to serve as the treasurer of a candidate committee
38 or joint candidates committee, other than a candidate committee or
39 joint candidates committee established to further the nomination for
40 election or the election of that person as a candidate for public office.
41 The certificate shall be filed prior to or simultaneously with the filing
42 of a notification of the designation of a campaign depository as
43 provided under subsection c. of this section. Upon the filing of such
44 a certificate of organization and until the termination of the committee,
45 the candidate committee or joint candidates committee shall file the
46 reports which the campaign treasurer or treasurers of the candidate or

1 candidates would otherwise be required to file under subsection a. of
2 section 16 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-16).

3 (2) Each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
4 candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate,
5 the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be a certified
6 trained treasurer, pursuant to subsection g. of section 6 of P.L.1973,
7 c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall acquire such certification within 90 days
8 of designation as a campaign treasurer. Any other campaign treasurer
9 of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee may acquire
10 certification as a trained treasurer.

11 c. Each candidate, or the candidates comprising a joint candidates
12 committee, shall designate a campaign depository. Any bank
13 authorized by law to transact business in the State may be designated
14 as the campaign depository. Notification of the designation of the
15 campaign depository shall be made by the candidate's, candidates' or
16 committee's filing the name and address of such depository with the
17 Election Law Enforcement Commission no later than the tenth day
18 after receipt by the candidate or the committee of any contribution on
19 behalf of the candidate or candidates or after the making or incurring
20 by the candidate or candidates of any expenditure on behalf of that
21 candidacy, whichever comes first.

22 d. Each candidate and campaign treasurer shall certify the
23 correctness of each report filed by the candidate committee or joint
24 candidates committee with the commission and that each report
25 conforms with the limitations on contributions and expenditures
26 provided for in sections 18, 19 and 20 of P.L.1993, c.65
27 (C.19:44A-11.3, C.19:44A-11.4 and C.19:44A-11.5).

28 e. A campaign treasurer of a candidate or candidates may appoint
29 deputy campaign treasurers as required and may designate additional
30 campaign depositories in each county in which the campaign is
31 conducted. The candidate or candidates shall file the names and
32 addresses of deputy campaign treasurers and additional campaign
33 depositories with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

34 f. A candidate or candidates may remove a campaign treasurer or
35 deputy campaign treasurer. In the case of the death, resignation or
36 removal of a campaign treasurer, the candidate or candidates shall
37 appoint a successor as soon as practicable and shall file the name and
38 address of that person with the Election Law Enforcement
39 Commission within three days. A candidate may serve as his or her
40 own campaign treasurer. One of the candidates in a joint candidates
41 committee may serve as the campaign treasurer of the entire
42 committee.

43 g. An individual who is a candidate for two or more public offices
44 in an election or in separate elections shall establish separate candidate
45 committees or separate joint candidates committees or both for each
46 office contested.

1 h. (1) On and after the 366th day following the effective date of
2 P.L.1993, c.65, no candidate shall establish, authorize the
3 establishment of, maintain, or participate directly or indirectly in the
4 management or control of, any political committee or any continuing
5 political committee. Within one year after the enactment of this act,
6 every candidate who maintains, or who participates either directly or
7 indirectly in the management or control of, one or more political
8 committees or one or more continuing political committees, or both,
9 shall wind up or cause to be wound up the affairs of those committees
10 in accordance with the provisions of section 8 of P.L.1973, c.83
11 (C.19:44A-8) and transfer all of the funds therein into a candidate
12 committee or a joint candidates committee. All funds thus transferred
13 shall be subject to the provisions of section 17 of P.L.1993, c.65
14 (C.19:44A-11.2).

15 (2) The person or persons having control over a legislative
16 leadership committee shall not be required to wind up the affairs of
17 that committee but shall be required to conform to the requirements
18 of paragraph (1) of this subsection with regard to any other political
19 committees or continuing political committees under the control of the
20 person or persons and used by that person for the purpose of receiving
21 contributions and making expenditures.

22 (cf: P.L.1995, c.194, s.2)

23

24 3. Section 10 of P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-10) is amended to read
25 as follows:

26 10. Each political party committee shall, on or before July 1 in each
27 year, designate a single organizational treasurer and an organizational
28 depository and shall, not later than the tenth day after the designation
29 of the organizational depository file the name and address of that
30 depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the Election Law
31 Enforcement Commission.

32 Every political committee may designate a chairman of the
33 committee, but no person serving as the chairman of a political party
34 committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible to be
35 appointed or to serve as the chairman of a political committee. Every
36 political committee shall, not later than the date on which it first
37 receives any contribution or makes or incurs any expenditure in the
38 furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any candidate or the
39 passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a single campaign
40 treasurer and designate a campaign depository, but no person serving
41 as the chairman of a political party committee or a legislative
42 leadership committee shall be eligible to be appointed or to serve as
43 the campaign treasurer of a political committee. Not later than the
44 tenth day after the initial designation of the campaign depository, the
45 committee shall file the name and address of the depository, and of the
46 campaign treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

1 Every continuing political committee shall, not later than the date
2 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
3 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
4 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
5 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
6 depository, provided that no person who is the chairman of a political
7 party committee or a legislative leadership committee shall be eligible
8 to be appointed or to serve as the organizational treasurer of a
9 continuing political committee. Not later than the tenth day after the
10 initial designation of the organizational depository, the committee shall
11 file the name and address of the depository, and of the organizational
12 treasurer, with the Election Law Enforcement Commission.

13 Every legislative leadership committee shall, not later than the date
14 on which it first receives any contribution or makes or incurs any
15 expenditure in the furtherance or aid of the election or defeat of any
16 candidate or the passage or defeat of any public question, appoint a
17 single organizational treasurer and designate an organizational
18 depository. Not later than the tenth day after the initial designation of
19 the organizational depository, the committee shall file the name and
20 address of the depository, and of the organizational treasurer, with the
21 Election Law Enforcement Commission.

22 Each organizational treasurer of a political party committee, a
23 continuing political committee or a legislative leadership committee
24 and each campaign treasurer of a political committee shall be a
25 certified trained treasurer, pursuant to subsection g. of section 6 of
26 P.L.1973, c.83 (C.19:44A-6), or shall acquire such certification within
27 90 days of appointment as an organizational treasurer or a campaign
28 treasurer.

29 An organizational treasurer of a political party committee, a
30 continuing political committee, or a legislative leadership committee
31 and a campaign treasurer of a political committee may appoint deputy
32 organizational or campaign treasurers as may be required and may
33 designate additional organizational or campaign depositories. Such
34 committees shall file the names and addresses of such deputy
35 treasurers and additional depositories with the Election Law
36 Enforcement Commission not later than the fifth day after their
37 appointment or designation, respectively.

38 Any political party committee, any political committee, any
39 continuing political committee and any legislative leadership
40 committee may remove its organizational or campaign treasurer or
41 deputy treasurer. In the case of the death, resignation or removal of
42 its organizational or campaign treasurer, the committee shall appoint
43 a successor as soon as practicable and shall file his name and address
44 with the Election Law Enforcement Commission within three days.
45 (cf: P.L.1993, c.65, s.5)

1 4. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after enactment.

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STATEMENT

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6 This bill requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission
7 (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and
8 organizational treasurers. ELEC will certify any person who
9 successfully completes such program as a trained treasurer for a period
10 of four years.

11 The bill requires that each person becoming a campaign treasurer
12 of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a
13 candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the
14 office of Governor will be a certified trained treasurer or will acquire
15 the certification within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer.
16 Any other campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint
17 candidates committee may acquire certification as a trained treasurer.
18 In addition, the bill requires that each organizational treasurer of a
19 political party committee, a continuing political committee or a
20 legislative leadership committee and each campaign treasurer of a
21 political committee be a certified trained treasurer or acquire the
22 certification within 90 days of appointment as an organizational
23 treasurer or a campaign treasurer. The bill takes effect 90 days after
24 enactment.

ASSEMBLY STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 10

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MAY 20, 2004

The Assembly State Government Committee reports favorably Assembly, No. 10.

This bill requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and organizational treasurers. ELEC will certify any person who successfully completes such program as a trained treasurer for a period of four years.

The bill requires that each person becoming a campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor will be a certified trained treasurer or will acquire the certification within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer. Any other campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee may acquire certification as a trained treasurer. In addition, the bill requires that each organizational treasurer of a political party committee, a continuing political committee or a legislative leadership committee and each campaign treasurer of a political committee be a certified trained treasurer or acquire the certification within 90 days of appointment as an organizational treasurer or a campaign treasurer. The bill takes effect 90 days after enactment.

ASSEMBLY STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 10

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 3, 2004

The Assembly State Government Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Assembly, No. 10.

As amended, this bill requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and organizational treasurers. It provides that ELEC will make the program available through its Internet site within one year of the effective date of the bill.

The bill requires each person becoming a campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor, to be a trained treasurer, or to acquire the training within 90 days of designation as a campaign treasurer. In addition, the bill requires the organizational treasurer of a State political party committee or a legislative leadership committee to be a trained treasurer, or to acquire the training within 90 days of appointment as an organizational treasurer. The ELEC training will be optional for other campaign and organizational treasurers. The bill takes effect 180 days after enactment.

This bill, as amended, is the same as Senate, No.10 (1R) of 2004.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

The committee amended the bill to (1) remove the provision that ELEC certify persons who complete the training program, (2) require that ELEC make the training program available through its Internet site within one year of its effective date, and (3) provide that only the organizational treasurer of a State political party committee or a legislative leadership committee be a trained treasurer. Training will be optional for other organizational treasurers. The committee also amended the bill to change its effective date from 90 days to 180 days after enactment.

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE
ASSEMBLY, No. 10
STATE OF NEW JERSEY
211th LEGISLATURE

DATED: JUNE 9, 2004

SUMMARY

Synopsis: Requires certain campaign treasurers and all organizational treasurers to be trained and certified by the ELEC.

Type of Impact: Expenditure Increase. General Fund.

Agencies Affected: Department of Law and Public Safety, Election Law Enforcement Commission.

Office of Legislative Services Estimate

Fiscal Impact	<u>FY 2005</u>	<u>FY 2006</u>	<u>FY 2007</u>
State Cost	Indeterminant Expenditure Increase.		

- ! Requires the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and campaign organizational treasurers.
- ! Directs that each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidate committee for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be trained as a treasurer.
- ! Requires the ELEC to certify individuals who successfully complete the treasurer training program. The certification would be valid for four years.
- ! Establishes that certification as campaign treasurer or organizational treasurer be required within 90 days of designation.

BILL DESCRIPTION

Assembly Bill No. 10 of 2004 requires certain campaign treasurers and all campaign organizational treasurers to be trained and certified by the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC).

The bill specifies certain campaign treasurers include those for a candidate committee or joint committees for a candidate, or candidates, running for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be trained and certified as a treasurer. Additionally, the bill requires the treasurers of each political party committee, continuing political committee or legislative leadership committee be trained and certified.

Currently, there is no training or certification requirements for candidate or organization treasurers.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

None received.

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

The Office of Legislative Services (OLS) estimates the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) could incur nominal expenditures as a result of this bill. According to information provided informally by the ELEC, an optional training program currently exists and ELEC training is available through the State office.

Although the ELEC currently provides training to individuals who request it, this bill mandates training for all treasurers of State campaigns which will increase the commissions training responsibilities. The bill does not establish a minimum or maximum standard, thus if the ELEC instituted a higher level of training than it currently provides the cost may increase. The bill also does not specify the type of testing that is to be used to certify treasurers.

Finally, OLS notes that there are several bills requesting additional provisions be enacted by the ELEC in 2004. If a combination of these provisions are passed, more staff and funding may be needed.

Section: *Law and Public Safety*

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This fiscal estimate has been prepared pursuant to P.L.1980, c.67.

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE

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ASSEMBLY, No. 10

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

211th LEGISLATURE

DATED: JUNE 25, 2004

SUMMARY

Synopsis: Requires certain campaign treasurers and organizational treasurers to be trained by ELEC.

Type of Impact: Minimal Expenditure. General Fund.

Agencies Affected: Department of Law and Public Safety, Election Law Enforcement Commission

Office of Legislative Services Estimate

Fiscal Impact	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
State Cost		Minimal Expenditure	

- ! Requires the commission to establish a training program for campaign treasurers and campaign organizational treasurers.
- ! Specifies that training shall be made available through ELEC's Internet site within one year of the effective date.
- ! Directs that each campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or a joint candidate committee for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be a trained treasurer.
- ! Establishes that each organizational treasurer of a State political party or legislative leadership committee be a trained treasurer or acquire training within 90 days of appointment.

BILL DESCRIPTION

Assembly Bill No. 10 [1R] of 2004 requires certain campaign treasurers and campaign organizational treasurers to be trained by Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC).

The bill specifies certain campaign treasurers including those for a candidate committee or a joint candidates committee for a candidate, or candidates, for the Senate, the General Assembly or the office of Governor shall be trained as a treasurer. The bill requires the treasurers of each political party committee or legislative leadership committee be trained within 90 days of appointment.

Additionally, this bill establishes that training shall be made available through ELEC's Internet site within one year of the effective date.

Currently, there is no training requirements for candidate or organization treasurers.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

None received.

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Finally, OLS notes that there are several bills requesting additional provisions be enacted by ELEC in 2004. If a combination of these provisions are passed, more staff and funding may be needed.

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McGreevey Signs Landmark Ethics Reform Legislation

Bills Provide A More Accountable and Transparent Government

(TRENTON) – Governor James E. McGreevey today signed into law the strongest ethics and campaign finance reform package in the history of New Jersey – and one of the strongest in the nation.

“Today is a good day for government and a victory for our citizens,” said Governor McGreevey. “From the stronger penalties, to the increased disclosure, to the end of the influence of campaign contributions on no-bid contracts, this reform package provides a more accountable and more transparent government for all. I want to congratulate the citizens, the State Legislature, and the numerous advocacy groups who helped make these reforms a reality.”

The legislation is the most comprehensive ethics and campaign finance reform initiative the State has embarked upon in more than 30 years and makes New Jersey only the fourth state in the entire country to enact a “pay-to-play” ban.

"The numerous positive achievements in this legislation clearly demonstrate how Democrats have seized the initiative on ethics reform," said Senate Majority Leader Bernard F. Kenny Jr. (D-Hudson). "As the Majority Party, Democrats have acted to put us in the right direction after years of inaction by the Republicans. The reforms enacted today are long overdue, but they mark the beginning - not the end - of our commitment to eliminate any perception that those who give the most to political campaigns get favored treatment in the form of lucrative State contracts."

Among the reforms the package are: prohibiting anyone who receives a no-bid contract from making certain political contributions; strengthening legislative ethics; enhancing reporting of legislators' financial disclosure requirements, hidden financial interests, and

conflicts of interests; increasing penalties for ethics and campaign finance violations and for illegally soliciting campaign contributions; and expanding the definition of lobbyist and legislative agent, ensuring that all parties who seeks to influence government are properly disclosed.

One of the main components of the ethics reform package is S-2/A-2, which prohibits state, county or local government officials from awarding no-bid contracts to their campaign contributors and prohibits no-bid contract holders from contributing to officials holding office at the government level in which the contract is in effect.

“This has been a long and winding journey, but today New Jersey sets an unprecedented standard for disclosure and transparency, and takes significant steps to reduce the influence of money in politics,” said Governor McGreevey. “We should be proud of the example New Jersey has set for the rest of the nation, but we must also continue to work together to uphold the highest standards of ethical conduct.”

The ethics reform package signed into law today includes:

- **S-2** -- Prohibits campaign contributions by certain business entities performing State, county and local contracts, as well as prohibits certain contributions by county committee of political party.
- **S-4** -- Extends certain financial disclosure requirements to lobbying conducted through advertisements and direct mail to general public.
- **A-5** -- Change the minimum contribution that needs to be reported to the Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) from \$400 to \$300 and requires the reporting of all cash campaign contributions.
- **A-6** -- Requires professional campaign fundraisers to register and file quarterly reports with ELEC.
- **A-7** -- Expands campaign communications require identification to include telephone calls featuring recorded messages made in regard to candidates and public questions. The message or call would clearly state the name of business or address of the committee, group or person that financed the communication.

"Just as voters have a right to know who is sending them campaign literature, New Jerseyans should see who is behind commercials or advertisements calling for action on a specific bill or regulation under consideration," said Assemblywoman Linda Greenstein (D-Mercer/Middlesex). "Issue ads are nothing more than thinly-veiled political campaign commercials, and all money spent on them should be publicly disclosed."

- **S-8** -- Prohibits the solicitation or making of political contributions on state property by state officeholders or their representatives.

- **A-9** -- Requires Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) to assess its Internet site and recommend improvements for the site's format and content. ELEC) would evaluate the presentation, accessibility, convenience, and usefulness of its Web site and recommend upgrades.
- **S-10** -- Requires certain campaign and organizational treasurers to be trained by ELEC. It also requires ELEC to make the training program available over its Internet site within one year of the bill's enactment.
- **A-11** -- Increases the maximum fines for violating campaign contribution and expenditure limit, reporting requirements and payment restrictions. The bill doubles the maximum fines that may be imposed for a variety of violations.
- **A-12** -- Requires certain election committees/ joint candidates committees to file a report with ELEC within 48 hours of making certain expenditures in excess of \$800 during certain periods of an election cycle.
- **A-14** -- Blocks legislators, Governor and department heads from lobbying activities for one year after leaving office.

"The strong link between government service and private lobbying creates - at a minimum - an appearance of impropriety in the eyes of the public," said Assemblyman Michael J. Panter (D-Monmouth/Mercer). "It also creates the very real possibility that the judgment of an elected or appointed official could be affected by their own financial concerns rather than the public's best interest. The signing of this bill today represents a new era in New Jersey politics, and a step in the right direction toward good government."

- **A-15** – Prohibits employment or assignment of relatives of certain employees of the Executive Branch, independent authorities, and interstate agencies to specific positions. Expands upon last year's nepotism ban by extending the definition of immediate family and including certain Executive Branch departments and commissions.
- **S-16** – Bans any member of the Legislature from acting on legislation in which they or their family member has a personal interest. The bill eliminates the option of filing a personal interest statement and instead prohibits the member from acting on legislation that they have a personal interest.
- **S-17**-- Changes memberships of Executive Commission on Ethical Standards and Joint Legislative Committee on Ethical Standards. The changes equalize the number of public and governmental official members.
- **S-18** -- Increases monetary penalties for violations of "New Jersey Conflicts of Interest Law." The bill increases the fine for civil violations of the conflict of interest laws to between \$500 and \$10,000 for State officers and employees or

members of the Legislature.

- **S-19**-- Requires candidates seeking office of Governor or legislator to disclose prior conviction for criminal offense. Candidates would be required to file a form setting out whether they have been convicted of an indictable crime.

"As legislators, we often consider measures that would require members of the public to undergo criminal background checks or disclose criminal histories prior to consideration for employment," said Assemblyman Jeff Van Drew (D-Cape May). "However, current state law fails to require state elected officials to disclose similar backgrounds. This is more than a statutory anomaly. It is an error in need of immediate correction."

- **S-22** -- Expands the definition of lobbyist and legislative agent to include those who influence the governmental process and actions in the Executive Branch, agency, or instrumentality.
- **A-23** -- Requires ELEC to conduct random audits of records kept by legislative agents. Currently, ELEC has the authority to conduct such audits, but this bill would require them to do so.
- **A-24** -- Directs ELEC to collect \$100 annual fee from legislative agents. The fee would be deposited in the general fund to be appropriated to ELEC. The fee would offset the costs of ELEC's new responsibilities.
- **A-25** -- Prohibits legislative agents from accepting contingency fees to influence legislation or regulations. This bill amends the existing law by eliminating the ability of a legislative agent to enter into a contingency fee agreement with a client. The legislative agent's reimbursement could not be dependent upon the whether or not he or she was successful in trying to influence legislation or regulation.

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