

**FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION****11 CFR Part 110****[Notice 1982-2]****Honoraria; Removal of Limitation****AGENCY:** Federal Election Commission.**ACTION:** Final rule; technical amendment.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is publishing today a technical amendment to its regulations on acceptance of honoraria (11 CFR 110.12) to conform that section to Pub. L. 97-51. The Public Law removed from the Federal Election Campaign Act the \$25,000 annual limit on the amount of honoraria that a Federal officeholder or employee could accept. The technical amendment appearing here removes that limitation from the Commission's regulations.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** April 8, 1982.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pub. L. 97-51, 95 Stat. 958, amended the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 in part by eliminating the requirement that no

Federal officeholder or employee accept honoraria during a calendar year in excess of \$25,000. The technical amendment published in this notice deletes from the Commission's regulations the provisions governing this limitation, to bring the regulations into conformance with the Act. The revision follows the language of 2 U.S.C. 441 as amended.

Because the amendment is merely technical and nonsubstantive, it is not a substantive rule within the meaning of the Administrative Procedure Act (relating to notice and comment) or 2 U.S.C. 438(d) (relating to legislative review of Commission regulations). It is therefore made effective April 8, 1982.