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FEC STAFF TO BE AVAILABLE TO  
EXPLAIN TENNESSEE GUIDELINE

WASHINGTON - SEPTEMBER 19 - Staff members of the Federal Election Commission will be in Nashville on Monday to discuss the new Federal campaign finance law with candidates for the vacant Congressional seat in the 5th District of Tennessee.

Last week, the FEC issued an "Interim Guideline" setting forth procedures for candidates and political committees to follow to comply with the financial disclosure requirements, and with the contribution and expenditure limits of the Federal law. The primary election for the Tennessee seat will be held November 25, 1975.

The FEC staff will meet with the Congressional candidates, or their representatives, at 9:00 a.m., Monday September 22, in Room 8761, U.S. Court House, 801 Broadway, Nashville.

FEC Chairman Thomas B. Curtis said, "The Commission thought it would be helpful if FEC staff members were made immediately available to the candidates in the Tennessee special Congressional election to help explain the procedures in the new Interim Guideline, and to answer any questions about these procedures. This action is in keeping with our statutory mandate to work to obtain voluntary compliance with the law. Therefore, we authorized an FEC attorney and accountant to go to Nashville Monday for these purposes", Curtis said.