

# FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION



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## FEC SETS EXTENDED OPEN HOURS FOR PUBLIC/PRESS REVIEW OF REPORTS

WASHINGTON — Extended hours have been set by the Federal Election Commission beginning Monday, January 30, to provide the public and press a greater opportunity to review financial activities of Congressional candidates during the final six months of 1983, of Presidential candidates during the final three months of 1983, and for political party and non-party committees to file their year-end reports.

Starting Monday, January 30, and continuing through February 5, the Public Records Office will be open on the following schedule:

Monday through Thursday, January 30-February 2, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Friday, February 3, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, February 4, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday, February 5, 12 noon to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, January 31, is the filing date for year-end reports covering campaign finance activities of Congressional candidates from July 1 through December 31, 1983. Reports filed by Presidential campaign committees will disclose financial activity covering the period October 1 through December 31. In addition, political party and non-party committees currently registered with the Commission must file a year-end report disclosing financial information from the closing date of the last report filed through December 31.

The Federal Election Commission's Public Records Office is a library-type facility equipped with computer terminals, microfilm reader-printers, photocopying equipment and ample work space, and has a trained staff to help assist in locating documents.