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## PRESS ADVISORY

Frederick M. Herrmann, Executive Director of the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission, announced today that the Commission is proposing a new rule, N.J.A.C. 19:25-1.10, Preparation of reports, which will establish legibility standards for any report or form filed with the Commission. The proposed rule will require that reports filed with the Commission be legible and be prepared using printed lettering and black ink, or typed lettering and numbering, or in an electronically generated format approved by the Commission prior to filing. The rule permits preparation of reports by hand provided that the lettering and numbering are legibly printed in black ink. The proposal is intended to promote legibility of reports that will be scanned electronically and made available on the Internet.

The proposed text will appear in the New Jersey Register on June 21, 1999. Copies of Commission's proposal may be obtained by calling the Commission at (609) 292-8700.

The Commission will conduct a **public hearing** to elicit public comment concerning the proposal on Thursday, July 21, 1999, at 11:15 a.m. at:

Election Law Enforcement Commission  
Edward J. Farrell Memorial Conference Room  
28 West State Street, 12th Floor  
Trenton, New Jersey

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The Commission invites participation in this hearing and requests that any testimony be limited to no more than ten minutes. Please contact Elbia Zepetelli by Friday, July 16, 1999, at (609) 292-8700 to reserve time to speak.

The Commission welcomes written comments concerning the proposed new rule. Submit written comments by July 21, 1999 to:

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