## Fair Political Practices Commission Filing Schedule for

## State Candidate Controlled Committees Senate District 35 Special Primary and Special General Elections Being Voted on December 9, 2014 and February 10, 2015

Deadline	Period	Form	Notes
Within 24 Hours Election Cycle Reports		497	<ul> <li>E-File only – no paper copy.</li> <li>File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate is received from a single source.</li> <li>File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more is made in the aggregate to a political party committee. The</li> </ul>
Dec 9 election (Primary)	9/26/14 – 12/9/14		recipient of an in-kind contribution must file a contribution report within 48 hours from the time the in-kind or non-monetary contribution is received.
Feb 10 election (General)	12/10/14 – 2/10/15		
Oct 30, 2014 Pre-Election (Primary)	* – 10/25/14	<u>460</u>	All committees must file this report.
Dec 1, 2014 Pre-Election (Primary)	10/26/14 – 11/22/14	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>All committees must file this report.</li> <li>Paper copies must be filed by personal delivery or guaranteed overnight service only.</li> <li>The November 27 filing deadline falls on an official state holiday, so the deadline is extended to December 1 as November 28 is also an official state holiday.</li> </ul>
Jan 2, 2015 Pre-Election (General)	11/23/14 – 12/27/14	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>Candidates who were unsuccessful in the December 9 election do not file this report.</li> <li>The January 1 filing deadline falls on an official state holiday, so the deadline is extended to the next business day.</li> </ul>
Jan 29, 2015 Semi-Annual/ Pre-Election (General)	12/28/14 – 1/24/15	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>Paper filings must be sent by personal delivery or guaranteed overnight service only.</li> <li>The second pre-election and semi-annual statements have been combined.</li> <li>The period covered for candidates who were unsuccessful in the December 9 election is 11/23/14 to 12/31/14, and that statement is due January 31, 2015.</li> </ul>
Jul 31, 2015 Semi-Annual	* – 6/30/15	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>All committees must file unless the committee filed termination Forms 410 and 460 before June 30, 2015.</li> </ul>
Within 10 Business Days \$5,000 Report	Ongoing File any time other than 90-day election cycle	497	<ul> <li>E-Filers Only:</li> <li>File if a contribution totaling \$5,000 or more is received from a single source.</li> <li>No paper copy required.</li> </ul>

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- \* Period Covered: The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- E-Filer: A state committee that has received contributions or made expenditures totaling \$25,000 or more.
- Form 460: All state committees, including e-filers, must file paper reports.
- Form 497: All reports filed online only.
- Where to File: State committees file reports with the Secretary of State. Only candidate controlled committees that are not E-Filers file paper copies with the election official at the candidate's county of domicile.
- Filing Deadlines: Deadlines are extended when they fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. This extension does not apply to any 24-hour contribution reports (Form 497) that are due the weekend before the election. Such reports must be filed within 24 hours regardless of the day of the week. A \$10 per day late fine may be assessed on both the paper and electronic report resulting in a \$20/day fine.
- Contribution Limits: Refer to the contribution limits chart on the FPPC website.
- Public Documents: All forms are public documents. Campaign manuals and instructional materials are available at <a href="https://www.fppc.ca.gov">www.fppc.ca.gov</a>, click on the <a href="https://www.fppc.ca.gov">Campaign</a> link.
- Candidates listed on the December 9, 2014 and February 10, 2015 ballots who make expenditures other than those for their own campaign should contact
  the FPPC for additional filing requirements.

## **Committees Making Independent Expenditures:**

 Committees making independent expenditures to support or oppose candidates on the December 9, 2014 and February 10, 2015 ballots should contact the FPPC for filing requirements.