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**To:** Chair Miadich, Commissioners Cardenas, Hatch, and Hayward

**From:** TJ Jones, Executive Director, on behalf of Commissioner Hatch, Chair, Law and Policy Committee

**Subject:** Law and Policy Committee - June Meeting Report

**Date:** June 6, 2019

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The Law and Policy Committee convened on June 4, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

Participants on the call: Commissioner Brian Hatch, Chair, L & P Committee  
Participants on site: Chair Richard Miadich, member L & P Committee, TJ Jones, Dave Bainbridge, Galena West, Loressa Hon, Jay Wierenga, Toren Lewis, Sasha Linker (staff), Richard Rios (representing CPAA), Emily Andrews (representing Olson Hagel and Fishburn), Trent Lange (representing California Clean Money Campaign).

**1. Regulation Calendar**

- (a) Committee discussed CPAA letter and request for regulatory change. Committee discussed item 1 (Top 10 Contributor List). Motion approved (2-0) to recommend to Commission to instruct staff to pursue legislation to set a dollar threshold for when additional contribution(s) from a contributor require a committee to amend a Top 10 contributor list. .
- (b) Committee discussed item 2 (Independent Expenditure Reporting), items (a) and (d). Committee motion approved (2-0) to forward both to full Commission without recommendation on individual items, but with recommendation for the entire Commission to have a broader policy discussion regarding whether independent expenditures and contributions should be treated similar.

**2. Legislation Update and Discussion**

- (a) Committee received update from Dave Bainbridge on SB 71. Committee approved motion (2-0) to recommend that the Commission maintain its current position as sponsor of the legislation.
- (b) Committee received update from Dave Bainbridge on AB 909. Committee approved motion (2-0) to recommend to the Commission that it move forward on a 'check box' approach for treasurer acknowledgement and require the check box to be checked in order to e-file the form.