











Prior to rendering any decision in a proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use pending before the Commission, each commissioner or alternate commissioner, as the case may be, who received a contribution within the preceding 12 months in an amount of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) from a party or from any participant to a LAFCO proceeding shall disclose that fact on the record of the proceeding.

LAFCO members are disqualified and are not able to participate in any proceeding involving an "entitlement for use" (within the meaning of § 84308, subd. (a)(5)) if, within the 12 months preceding the LAFCO decision, the Commissioner received \$250 or more in campaign contributions from the applicant, an agent of the applicant or any financially interested person who actively supports or opposes the LAFCO decision on the matter.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup>This requirement is based on Government Code section 87100, which provides: Prior to rendering any decision in a proceeding involving a license, permit or other entitlement for use pending before an agency, each officer of the agency who received a contribution within the preceding 12 months in an amount of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) from a party or from any participant shall disclose that fact on the record of the proceeding. No officer of an agency shall make, participate in making, or in any way attempt to use his or her official position to influence the decision in a proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use pending before the agency if the officer has willfully or knowingly received a contribution in an amount of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) within the preceding 12 months from a party or his or her agent, or from any participant, or his or her agent if the officer knows or has reason to know that the participant has a financial interest in the decision, as that term is described with respect to public officials in Article 1 (commencing with Section 87100) of Chapter 7.



