

TO: School Board Candidates

RE: Expenditure Statement

The Education Law requires the filing of sworn statements by school board candidates with the school District Clerk and the Commissioner of Education for expenditures in excess of \$500.00. Where the expenditures amount to less than \$500.00, a sworn statement indicating this to be the case must be filed with the District Clerk.

The statement of a candidate's expenditures must set forth all money or other valuable things paid, given, expended, or promised by the candidate or incurred for or on his/her behalf with his/her approval, and it must be filed with the school District Clerk and the Commissioner of Education. A **first** statement must be filed **thirty days preceding the election** and a **second** statement must be filed within **five days preceding** the election and a **final** statement must be filed within **twenty days after the election**. The statement shall cover the period up to and including the day next preceding the day specified for the filing of the statement.

Candidates may be compelled judicially to file the required statements pursuant to Section 1530 of the Education Law.

Harmony M. Rice
District Clerk

