# CALIFORNIA ELECTION CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE CODES

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#### **PURPOSE**

This code list is to be used by filers of California Campaign Disclosure forms and associated schedules who submit filings using the American National Standards Institute (ANSI), Accredited Standards Committee (ASC) X12, Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) transaction set 113, Election Campaign and Lobbyist Reporting.

This list is maintained by the California Secretary of State Office and is available at the California Secretary of State – Official Homepage, <a href="http://www.ss.ca.gov/">http://www.ss.ca.gov/</a>, under the Political Reform section, Campaign Finance, Lobbyists, forms and reports.

#### **Use of Codes**

The code values in this list are used to represent data that is transmitted in the 113 transaction set. The migration from a paper-based method of filing to electronic filing provides opportunities to convert data from human readable to machine readable format using code values. For example, if a California form lists a number of statement/report types and the paper-based filing instructions tell the filer to check the block indicating which type of statement/report is being filed, there has to be a way of transmitting the same information in electronic form.

The way it is done to accommodate electronic filing is to assign a different code value to each statement/report type. Then, the electronic filer merely has to select which code represents the correct type statement/report. When transmitted and received, the code value will be interpreted as the correct type of statement/report. In this way, the assignment and transmission of the code have replaced both the paper form's check block and the human-readable statement/report type.

The code values are primarily used in data element 1271 in the Monetary Amount with Explanation (AWD) and in the Industry Code (LQ) segments of the 113 transaction set. In such usage, LQ01 shall cite code EAF and LQ02 shall cite a code from this code list. In the AWD segment, data element 1271 is at AWD01-09. The implementation conventions that specify the use of the 113 transaction set for transmitting data applicable to a form or schedule contain instructions regarding the use of the codes in this list

#### Content

The code values in this code list are grouped by usage. Each usage is identified in a section of the code list. A position number starting with 01 identifies the sections. All code values in this code list have the following structure: two numeric characters to identify a section in the code list, followed by a hyphen, followed by 1, 2, or 3, alpha/numeric characters.

## **DEFINITION**

01 - Type of Statement/Report	These codes identify the type of statement or report that is being filed.
01-PE	Pre-election Statement
01-SE	Supplemental Pre-election Statement
01-SY	Special Odd Year Report
01-SA	Semi-annual Statement
01-TS	Termination Statement
01-QS	Quarterly Statement
02 - Type of Committee	These codes identify a type of committee
02-C	Officeholder, Candidate Controlled Committee
02-P	Primarily Formed Candidate/Officeholder Committee
02-B	Ballot Measure Committee
02-G	General Purpose Committee
02-BMP	Ballot Measure Committee, Primarily Formed
02-BMC	Ballot Measure Committee, Controlled
02-BMS	Ballot Measure Committee, Sponsored
02-GPS	General Purpose Committee, Sponsored
02-GPB	General Purpose Committee, Broad Based
02-GPC	General Purpose Committee, City
02-GPN	General Purpose Committee, County
02-GPT	General Purpose Committee, State
02-CC	Controlled Committee
02-NC	Not a Controlled Committee
02-SC	Sponsored Committee
02-NSC	Not a Sponsored Committee
02-BBC	Broad Based Committee
02-BBL	Broad Based Committee for Purposes of Special Election
	Contribution Limits
02-NBC	Not a Broad Based Committee
02-Y82	82013 Committee
02-N82	Not an 82013 Committee
02-NYQ	Not Yet Qualified as a Committee
03 - Office and Sought/Held	These codes identify the office sought by a candidate
Indicators	or held by an officeholder. The office sought or office
	held code must be used each time an office is
	identified.
02.001	
03-GOV	Governor

03-LTG

03-SOS

03-CON 03-ATT

03-TRE

Lieutenant Governor

Secretary of State State Controller

Attorney General

State Treasurer

#### **DEFINITION**

# 03 - Office and Sought/Held Indicators

These codes identify the office sought by a candidate or held by an officeholder. The office sought or office held code must be used each time an office is identified.

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03-INS	Insurance	commissioner

03-SUP Superintendent of Public Instruction

03-SEN State Senator

03-ASM State Assembly Person

03-BOE Board of Equalization Member

03-ASR Assessor

03-BED Board of Education
03-BSU Board of Supervisors
03-CAT City Attorney

03-CCB Community College Board
03-CCM City Council Member
03-COU County Counsel
03-CSU County Supervisor
03-CTR Local Controller
03-DAT District Attorney

03-MAY Mayor

03-PDRPublic Defender03-PLNPlanning Commissioner03-SHCSheriff - Coroner03-SCJSuperior Court Judge03-TRSLocal Treasurer

03-OTH Other

03-S Office Sought 03-H Office Held

#### 04 - Administrative

These codes are used to represent the verification statements required on various disclosure forms. They also are used as indicators of support or oppose conditions and other check blocks that appear on a disclosure form or schedule.

04-VR1 I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing and reviewing this

statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in the attached schedules is true and complete. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that

the foregoing is true and correct.

04-VR2 I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I

have reviewed the statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in the attached schedules is true and complete. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the

State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

#### **DEFINITION**

04 - Administrative

These codes are used to represent the verification statements required on various disclosure forms. They also are used as indicators of support or oppose conditions and other check blocks that appear on a disclosure form or schedule.

04-VR3

This committee has not received any contributions, cumulative contributions or miscellaneous receipts from a single source totaling \$100 or more which must be itemized, and this committee has not made or received loans, and has no accrued expenses or outstanding enforceable promises received.

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed the statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained is true and complete. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

04-VR4

I have used all reasonable and to the best of my knowledge the treasurer has used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed the statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained is true and complete. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

04-VR5

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. The Slate Mailer Organization has ceased to receive payments and make disbursements in connection with producing "slate mailers," does not anticipate receiving payments or making disbursements in the future, and has filed all campaign statements required by the Political Reform Act disclosing all reportable transactions. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

04-VR6

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein is true and complete. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

When this verification is provided in conjunction with the termination of a Recipient Committee, it certifies that the following conditions have been met:

- a. This committee has ceased to receive contributions and make expenditures;
- b. This committee does not anticipate receiving contributions or making expenditures in the future;
- c. This committee has eliminated or has no intention or ability to discharge all debts. Loans received, and other obligations;
- d. This committee has no surplus funds; and

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e. This committee has filed all campaign statements required by the Political Reform Act disclosing all reportable transactions.

04-VR7 I declare under penalty of perjury that to the best of my knowledge, I

anticipate that I will receive less than \$1,000 and that I will spend less than \$1,000 during the calendar year and that I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California.

04-SUP Support 04-OPP Oppose

04-NNR Identification Number not Received.

#### 05 - Monetary Amount

#### These codes are used to further qualify an amount.

05-A1 Amount \$100 or more 05-A2 Amount under \$100 05-A3 Attributed Amount 05-A4 Included Amount

#### 06 – Type of Election

#### These codes are used to identify a type of election

06-SE Special Election
06-SRE Special Runoff Election

#### 07 - Type of Payment

# These codes are used to identify the purpose of a payment.

07-CMP Campaign paraphernalia/misc. 07-CNS Campaign consultants

07-CTB Contribution (explain non-monetary)

07-VC Civic donations
07-FND Fundraising events

07-IND Independent expenditure supporting/opposing others (explain)

07-LIT Campaign literature and mailings 07-MTG Meetings and appearances

07-OFCOffice expenses07-PETPetition circulating07-PHOPhone banks

07-POS Postage, delivery and messenger services 07-PRO Professional services (legal, accounting)

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#### 07 - Type of Payment

## These codes are used to identify the purpose of a

payment.

07-PRT Print ads

07-RAD Radio airtime and production costs

07-RFDReturned contributions07-SALCampaign workers salaries

07-TELTV or cable airtime and production costs07-TRCCandidate travel, lodging and meals (explain)07-TRSStaff/spouse travel, lodging and meals (explain)

07-TSF Transfer between committees of he same candidate/sponsor

07-VOT Voter registration

07-WEB Information technology costs (internet, e-mail)

#### 08 - Jurisdiction

# These codes are used to identify the jurisdiction

applicable to an office.

08-STW Statewide
08-SEN Senate District
08-ASM Assembly District

08-BOE Board of Equalization District

08-CITCity08-CTYCounty08-LOCLocal08-OTHOther

# 09 – Organizational Level of Activity

These codes are used to identify the voting

jurisdictions in which slate mailers support or oppose

candidates or measures.

09-CI City
09-CO County
09-ST State