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**Task Force on Judicial Campaign Finance**

Administrative Office of the Courts

Milton Marks Conference Center, Monterey Room, Lower Level  
455 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102

Monday, November 17, 2008

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Call-in numbers: (800) 644-1474 or (415) 904-5515

**AGENDA**

10:00 a.m. Public comment:

Public comments are invited during the 15-minute interval preceding the beginning of the task force meeting. Members of the public who wish to address the task force should submit a request of no more than two pages to the Commission for Impartial Courts at least four business days before the meeting. Please address requests as follows:

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10:15 a.m. Discussion of administrative matters, including progress update on analysis of judicial candidates' disclosure/reporting documents.

10:30 a.m. Continued discussion of issues considered and tentative recommendations to date by both Working Groups. As with the Task Force's September/October meetings, staff and the chairs of the Working Groups and the Task Force will moderate an issue-by-issue discussion, with members being asked to provide input on each issue. In particular, the Task Force will focus on the issue of mandatory disclosure of—and disqualification because of—campaign contributions of a certain dollar value with respect to appellate justices.

11:30 a.m. Break.



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- 11:45 a.m. Discussion of new issue: Whether to recommend some form of full or partial public financing of judicial campaigns. (Includes working lunch)
- 1:30 p.m. Break.
- 1:45 p.m. Resume discussion of public financing issue.
- 3:00 p.m. Adjourn.