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New Business: August 18, 2010

Board Date: August 18, 2010

**Require all vendors to the
Authority to Provide Disclosure of
Political Contributions**

RESOLUTION

RESOLVED: That the Board adopts the proposed Political Contribution Disclosure Form and hereby requires all current vendors of the Authority to complete such form prior to the extension or renewal of any contract, and that any prospective vendor of the Authority complete the form disclosing political contributions in conjunction with submitting a bid for providing services or goods to the Authority.

SUMMARY:

Amount:	N/A
Source of Funds:	N/A
Capital Project #:	N/A
Operating Budget:	N/A
Master Plan Status:	N/A
Other Fund Sources:	N/A
Duration of Contract:	N/A
Other Parties Involved:	N/A

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Contractor Instructions

Contractors seeking to be awarded contracts from the Authority must disclose contributions to:

- any Pennsylvania or New Jersey state, county, or municipal committee of a political party;
- any Pennsylvania or New Jersey legislative leadership committee;
- any continuing political committee (a.k.a., political action committee).
- any candidate for or holder of an elected office in Pennsylvania or New Jersey
- any political organization organized under section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code located in Pennsylvania or New Jersey

The disclosure must list reportable contributions that were made during the four (4) years prior to the proposed date of award of the contract.

Disclosure is required of contributions made by the contracting entity or by:

- individuals with an “interest”, which is defined as ownership or control of more than 10% of the profits or assets of a business entity or 10% of the stock in the case of a business entity that is a corporation for profit;
- all principals, partners, officers, or directors of the business entity or their spouses;
- any subsidiaries directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity; or
- IRS Code Section 527 organizations, directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity and filing as continuing political committees, (PACs).

When the contractor is a natural person, a contribution by that person’s spouse, parent or child residing in the same household shall be deemed to be a contribution by the contractor and requires disclosure.

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