



STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

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June 6, 2025, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. (Mountain Time)

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Commission Meeting

Chair Lang Calls the Meeting to Order

1. Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes of April 4, 2025 Commission Meeting

Commission Meeting Items

Action Required

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| 4. FY26 Operating Budget
(<i>Farris, George</i>) | Yes |
| 5. Advisory Opinion 2025-02 – The Governmental Conduct Act
and Outside Employment (<i>Chato</i>) | Yes |
| 6. Advisory Opinion 2025-03 – District Legislative Aide
Employment with Another State Agency (<i>Chato</i>) | Yes |
| 7. Advisory Opinion 2025-04 – Campaign Expenditures for Legal
Expenses (<i>Chato</i>) | Yes |
| 8. Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
(<i>Chato</i>) | Yes |

Upon applicable motion, Commission goes into executive session under NMSA 1978, §§ 10-15-1(H)(3) (administrative adjudicatory proceedings) and 10-15-1(H)(7) (attorney client privilege pertaining to litigation).

9. Discussion regarding administrative matters under RULONA:
(Branch)

1. 2024-NP-07

10. Discussion regarding administrative matters under State Ethics Commission Act:
(Goodrich, Randall)

1. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-011
2. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-012
3. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-013
4. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-014
5. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-015
6. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-016
7. Administrative Complaint No. 2025-017

11. Discussion regarding current and potential litigation:
(Farris, Woods)

1. Commission authorization of a civil action regarding violations of the Campaign Reporting Act during the 2024 election cycle by a political committee.
2. Commission authorization of a civil action regarding violations of the Governmental Conduct Act by a local municipality and its employees.
3. Commission authorization of a civil action regarding violations of the Lobbyist Regulation Act by a lobbyist advertising campaign.

Upon applicable motion, Commission returns from executive session

12. Administrative Matters under RULONA:
(Branch)

Yes

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(Goodrich, Randall)

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14. Authorization of Civil Action:
(Goodrich, Woods)

Yes

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15. Discussion of next meeting:
(Lang)

No

16. Public Comment

No

17. Adjournment

For inquiries or special assistance, please contact Ethics.Commission@sec.nm.gov

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