



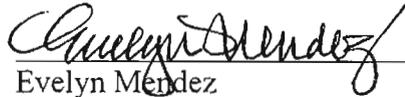
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September 19, 2007

TO: All County Clerks/Registrar of Voters (07142)

FROM:



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SUBJECT: Unselected Presidential Candidate Information

The Nomination period for **UNSELECTED** presidential candidates is **October 8 – December 4**.

During this period, each unselected presidential candidate or uncommitted delegations may obtain and circulate nominate petitions.

Within five days after nomination petitions are left with the county elections official, the elections official shall examine and affix a certificate reciting the he or she has examined them and stating the number of valid sigs. **ATTACHMENT A**

The nomination petitions for the presidential primary ballot shall be substantially in the format required in Election Code § 6108. Attached is a nomination paper you can offer to those requesting nomination papers for unselected candidates. They can pick them up at the county elections office or at the Secretary of State's office. **ATTACHMENT B**

For **Democratic candidates** to qualify for placement on the ballot the nomination petitions must be **signed by registered Democrats equal in number to not less than one percent or 500**, whichever is fewer, of the number of persons registered as members of the Democratic Party in the ROR issued by the SOS on September 23, 2007 in each congressional district.

For **Non-Democratic candidates** to qualify for placement on the ballot the nomination papers must be signed by **registered members of the party** whose nomination is sought equal in number to not less than 1 percent of the number of persons registered as members of the party as of September 23, 2007.

Candidates can call the Secretary of State to verify the number of cumulative signatures or you can via the number of signatures received via Calvoter II. Please feel free to call or e-mail us if you have any further questions.

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Statement of Number of Signatures Filed on Nomination Paper

For Unselected Presidential Candidate NOMINATION PROCEDURES (Elections Code §§ 6061, 6104, 6122, 6180)

I certify that I have examined the Nomination Paper filed on behalf of

_____, candidate for nomination for
(Name of Candidate)

Office: _____

District/Office Number: _____
(Complete only if applicable)

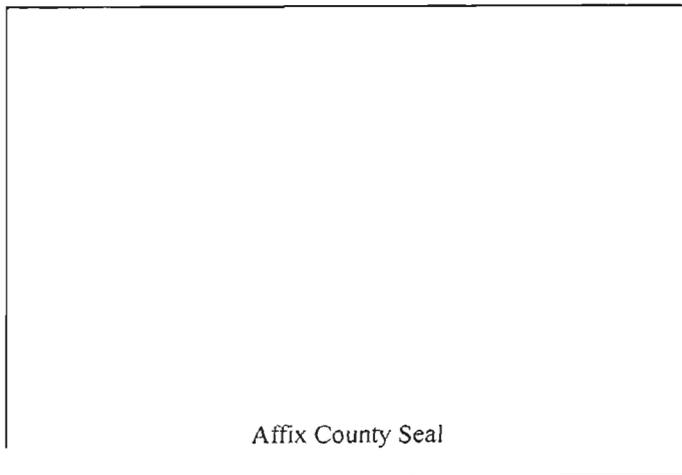
at the **Presidential Primary Election** to be held on **February 5, 2008**.



The total number of **nomination signatures** found SUFFICIENT is _____.*

* (not a cumulative total; provide the number to which you are currently certifying)

Dated this _____ day of _____, _____
Month Year



Affix County Seal

COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICIAL

By: _____
Deputy

County

ATTACHMENT A

Official Filing Form

Elections Official

By: _____
Deputy

Date Issued: _____

Filed in County of _____

County Elections Official

By: _____
Deputy

Date Issued: _____

(Secretary Of State Use Only)

NOMINATION PAPER

For candidate using **Democratic Unselected Candidate** nomination procedures
(Elections Code §§ 100, 104, 6108; Code of Civil Procedure § 2015.5)

I, the undersigned, am a voter of the County of _____, State of California, and am registered as
County Name

intending to affiliate with the Democratic Party. I hereby nominate _____
Candidate Name

for the **Presidential Primary Election** to be held on **February 5, 2008**.

I have not signed the nomination paper of any other candidate, and I further declare that I intend to support the candidate named herein. My residence is correctly set forth after my signature hereto:

PRECINCT (To be entered by Elections Official)	NAME	RESIDENCE	VERIFICATION (To be entered by Elections Official)
	Print 1..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 2..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 3..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 4..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 5..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	

Please complete Affidavit of Circulator on reverse side

PRECINCT (To be entered by Elections Official)	NAME	RESIDENCE	VERIFICATION (To be entered by Elections Official)
	Print 6..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 7..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 8..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 9..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	
	Print 10..... Sign	Residence Address ONLY City or Town	

AFFIDAVIT OF CIRCULATOR

(To be completed in circulator's own hand)

I, _____, solemnly swear (or affirm) that I secured signatures in the County of _____

Print Name

County

to the nomination paper for the presidential primary ballot named in the signer's statement above; that all the signatures on this section of the nomination paper numbered 1 to 10, inclusive, were made in my presence, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be. The signatures on this section of the nomination paper were obtained between _____, _____, and _____, _____.

Month and Day

Year

Month and Day

Year

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on _____ at _____

Date

Place of Execution

Circulator's Signature

(TO BE ENTERED BY ELECTIONS OFFICIAL AFTER VERIFICATION)

Number of Valid Signatures on this Section: _____

Date: _____

Deputy _____

WARNING: Every person acting on behalf of a candidate is guilty of a misdemeanor who deliberately fails to file at the proper time and in the proper place any nomination paper in his/her possession which is entitled to be filed under the provisions of the Elections Code. (Elections Code § 18202)