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County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #10245

TO: All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters

FROM:


Katherine Montgomery
Initiative Program Manager

RE: Initiative: Random Sample of #1444, Related to Taxes

N. Eugene Hill, the proponent of IMPOSES ADDITIONAL TAX ON CIGARETTES FOR CANCER RESEARCH. INITIATIVE STATUTE. has filed more than 433,971 signatures with the counties.

Therefore, pursuant to Elections Code section 9030(d), you are required to verify 500 signatures or three percent of the number of signatures filed, whichever is greater. If you received less than 500 signatures, you are required to verify all the signatures filed with your office and certify the number of valid signatures.

Please Note: Pursuant to Elections Code section 9030(e), you must attach a blank petition (not a faxed copy) to your random sample certification.

You have 30 working days from the date of the issue of this notification to finish your verification. If we produce the random for you, you have 30 working days from the date you receive the set of numbers. If you need a set of random numbers produced for you, please contact me at the number below or at katherine.montgomery@sos.ca.gov.

Please disregard this memo if you have already checked the validity of the signatures on the petition sections and submitted your certificate to us.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (916) 657-2423.