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NetFile, the industry leader and pioneer in electronic filing and administration systems for Statements of Economic Interests (FPPC Form 700) and Campaign Disclosure (FPPC Forms 450,460,461,465,470,496, and 497) is pleased to announce 9 of its 26 agency clients have applied and been approved by the FPPC to receive paperless filings of Statements of Economic Interests through NetFile's industry leading e-filing and administration system.

Congratulations to the Cities of Santa Barbara, Livermore, Pleasanton, Sacramento, Oakland, Santa Rosa, and Huntington Beach as well as the Counties of Marin and Merced! All of these agencies don't require any wet signed documents from their filers and as an added benefit don't have to send out any amendments to filers for technical reasons!

Here's how a City, County, or Public Agency can get rid of their paper filed Statements of Economic Interests:

- Get set up with NetFile's industry leading e-filing and administration system.
- Once set up in the system, apply with the FPPC for electronic filing status. You must submit a check for \$1,000 with your application to the FPPC to get set up. NetFile will reimburse you this amount on your first invoice.
- The FPPC will process the application. Once approved you will receive a SAN number from the FPPC that NetFile will set up in the system. You are now ready to e-file!
- All the benefits of paperless filing (no filer technical errors that need to be amended, no manual handling, scanning, or uploading of paper documents, automatic posting of the redacted filing to a public viewing portal, etc...) are enjoyed by the local City or County using the NetFile system.

NetFile is a privately held corporation based in Mariposa, CA and was established in 1998. Currently NetFile has 26 local government clients in CA using the Campaign Disclosure System and 26 using the Statement of Economic Interests Disclosure System. NetFile is the originator and leader in e-filing systems for both Campaign Disclosure and Statements of Economic Interests. All programming, sales, and support are based in California so all revenue supports local and state economies.



Statement of Economic Interests Form 700

E-Filing & Admin System

Filing Forms 700 & 800 Series Made Simple and Secure

Make your hard to track paper filing system obsolete with the industry leading provider of an e-filing system for the FPPC Form 700. Don't be fooled by companies with large start up costs and overseas programming. NetFile is the founder and leader of this market space with several thousands of e-filings made over many years and our system has no startup costs at all!

Being an online system, the agency, filer, and the public can access the system 24/7/365. Since this is a shared platform, the system is affordable for even the smallest local government client. NetFile offers around the clock support that is 100% based in California - no need to worry about foreign based support! All revenue stays in CA - not outsourced like the competition!

A sampling of NetFile's system advantages are:

- Easy to use admin and filer interface
- Easily manage your filer's conflict of interest code
- Multiple levels of administration for admin and department level filing officers
- Database is kept current throughout the year - no more year-end panic!
- Public portal for 800 series form online requirement!
- Multiple position filings are fast and efficient with NetFile!
- Previous Form 700 Filer data populates new filing (huge time savings)!
- Works with any modern Windows PC, Mac, or Linux system with current browser
- NetFile is 100% based in CA (no outsourcing of work to other countries)

Features

Electronic Filing

Each Form 700 filer can self-register and is issued a unique Filer ID and password. A link from your website starts the filing process. The site is hosted by NetFile but looks just like your site. NetFile servers ensure fast and efficient filings. The submitted filing is validated to stop amendments from happening in the first place. Online video tutorials makes filing easy!

Agency Management Tool

The system acts as your repository of filers. Create the filers in the database just once. Notifications can be sent out via an e-mail blast to all filers or filers by department. Upon receipt of wet signature, just input unique key code in the system and run your filing status report for an up to date filing receipt list. From the report you can see exactly who has or has not filed. This report can be run by department or for your entire database.

SEI Form 700 E-Filing & Admin System Facts:

100% Based in CA

All services from NetFile are based in CA. No outsourcing of labor to foreign countries. All revenue stays right here.

Many Years Proven Success

NetFile's local government clients in California have been using this system for many years. NetFile has several County and City clients using this system with more on the way!

No Huge Upfront Costs

You pay a very reasonable ongoing fee for the system.

Staff Support and Training Included in Ongoing Fee

Being a hosted solution, you enjoy a low ongoing cost that includes both staff support and training at no additional cost to you! There is no limit to the amount of staff support or training provided to our clients.

No Long Term Commitment

All our contracts have 30-day out clauses (for any reason)!

Data is Safe and Secure

Backups are made nightly for all of you and your filer's data. The data is sent offsite to multiple locations to ensure the safety and integrity of your data.

No IT Involvement Necessary

All IT has to do is place a link on your website (that's it)!

NetFile Dedication

NetFile has been in business since 1998. Providing e-filing systems and software is all we do! There are no other distractions to keep us from servicing our clients to the fullest extent!

Document Viewing Portal - Public Site

You can choose to have your filers' documents shown over the internet in redacted form with your own redaction specifications. You can even narrow down which filers you would want to show. Public site meets FPPC's mandated 30-day online posting requirements for certain 800 series forms!

Document Viewing Portal - Private Site

The system also comes with a kiosk mode that allows you to show filings in unredacted form but only in your office. That way if someone walks in requesting to view a filing, just point them to one of your computers to search for the filings. They could print to your internal printer if they wanted to purchase a hard copy. No more pulling files and making copies wasting valuable staff time!

NetFile is Number One in California

NetFile is California's first internet based accounting, disclosure, and data management system. Our clients account for over half of all electronic disclosure document filings in the state of California. For our local government platform, there have been several thousand e-filings made for both our SEI Filing and admin system as well as our Campaign Disclosure filing and admin system.

Unparalleled Training and Technical Support

Our business model is based on an ongoing service with no long term contractual commitments from our clients. This guarantees you the best in training and support!

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NOTE: NetFile also has an e-filing system for local government for campaign disclosure for the e-filing and admin of FPPC Forms 460, 496, 497 450, 461, 465 and 470.

