

**CITIZENS' ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION,**  
**LOS ANGELES COUNTY**

**AUTHORITY\***

Chapter 3.16 of the Los Angeles County Code; Board Order No. 36 of January 11, 1994; Board Order No. 15 of May 21, 1996; Board Order No. 84 of July 1, 1997, Ordinance No. 97-0031; Board Order No. 12 of August 14, 2001, Ordinance No. 2001-0077; Board Order No. 72 of September 28, 2001 (extension of sunset review date); Board Order Nos. 25 and 66 of April 3, 2007; Board Order No. 68 of April 10, 2007, Ordinance No. 2007-0054 (extension of sunset review date); Board Order No. 8 of December 6, 2011; Board Order No. 37 of December 13, 2011, Ordinance No. 2011-0069 (extension of sunset review date).

**SUNSET REVIEW DATE\***

July 1, 2016

**NUMBER OF MEMBERS**

The Commission shall consist of 21 members. Each Supervisor shall nominate 4 persons for appointment to the Commission. The 21st member shall be the Foreperson of the newly retired Grand Jury.

If the foreperson declines appointment or, following appointment becomes unable to serve, the Supervising Judge, Criminal Courts Division, Los Angeles Superior Court shall nominate another member of any former Grand Jury to be appointed.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

Insofar as possible, appointment of individuals should be based on the following criteria:

- a. Members should not be in a position to augment their incomes or promote their special interests through membership on the Commission.
- b. Members should be broadly representative of the community.
- c. Members should be knowledgeable, active, or interested in community affairs and should be available for at least two or three half-days a month for Commission and task force meetings and Commission work.
- d. No member of the Commission should be a County employee.

## **APPOINTMENT**

By the Board of Supervisors

## **TERM OF OFFICE**

All members appointed by the Board shall serve a two-year term at the pleasure of the Board. The retired Grand Jury Foreman shall serve a one-year term commencing September 1 of each year. Each member shall serve until his successor is duly appointed and qualified.

No member of the Commission may serve more than two consecutive two-year terms. The Board may, by order, extend the length of service or waive the limit for individuals or the Commission as a whole.

A member's position on the Commission shall become vacant upon his or her death, resignation, or removal by the Board. In the case of such a vacancy, the Board shall appoint a successor to fill the unexpired term.

## **COMPENSATION**

None

## **MEETINGS**

The Commission shall meet on the first Thursday of each month at 10:00 a.m., in Room 525 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administrative, 500 West Temple Street, Los Angeles, 90012.

The Commission shall meet not less than once a month, unless the meeting is canceled by the Chairperson. A quorum shall exist if a majority of the Commissioners who have been appointed and qualified are present.

## **DUTIES**

The Commission shall, at the request of the Board or on its own initiative, examine any operation of County government and submit recommendations to the Board directed toward improving government economy, efficiency and effectiveness.

The Commission, in performing its duties, shall give a first priority to matters assigned to the Commission by the Board.

The staff of the Commission shall be those individuals designated in the current Salary Ordinance of the County of Los Angeles or employed by the County by contract.

## **OATH**

Not required.

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