SACRAMENTO



Form 700:
Electronic
Filing
Process

AGENDA

- Importance of filing Form 700
- P eDisclosure
- Process for Filing your Electronic Form 700
- Resources
- Next Steps and Q & A



Importance of Filing and eDisclosure



Importance of Filing

- Legal requirement from the Political Reform Act of 1974
 - Every government agency must adopt a conflict of interest code
- Three Components of a Code
 - Terms of the Code
 - Disclosure Categories
 - List of Designated Positions



Assuming, Annual and Leaving Process

- Designated positions are required to file an annual Form 700
 - The annual process starts in January and the forms are <u>due April 1st</u>
 - > Penalties for late filings are \$10 per day up to \$100
- Assuming and Leaving Office forms must be filed within 30 days

Biennial Process

- Required to review the county's conflict of interest code biennial on even years
 - All Directors are required to review their positions and designate who should file

eDisclosure

WHAT:

Your web-based electronic solution for the filing and submission of FPPC Form 700

HOW:

> File your Form 700 electronically, 24/7, in the privacy of your own secured filing area

WHY:

- Easier to comply with reporting requirements
- Securely filing and submitting an FPPC Form 700 to your Filing Officer
- Easily amending prior forms
- Program is secure and password protected
- Saves you time and money
- Assists you with accurately completing your Form
- Quickly copying information from prior years' forms



Players



Code Reviewing Body Board of Supervisors

Filing Officer

Clerk Recorder





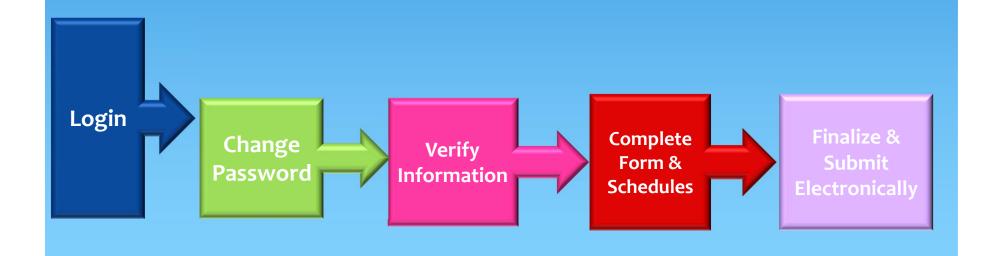
Filing Official

Member of your HR Services Team

Filer/Employee



Steps in the Filing Process



Login

You will receive two automated emails:

1. "Welcome" email from the Filing Officer



Subject: Welcome to eDislosure



County of Sacramento 600 8th Street Sacramento, CA 95814 (916)876-9702

Donna Allred County Clerk/Recorder

December 22, 2014

Sugar Cookie

3701 Power Inn Road, Suite 3000 SACRAMENTO, CA 95826

Re: Electronic Filing of Statement of Economic Interests (SEI) Form 700

Dear Filer:

Login

Login

2. A new account notification that contains your username and password.

Subject: Conflict of Interest eDisclosure Account Creation Notification

Dear Sugar,

A Conflict of Interest eDisclosure account has been created for you at this time. This will allow you to complete your Form 700 online. You will be notified by separate email of any required Conflict of Interest fillings. Please write this down and save for later reference.

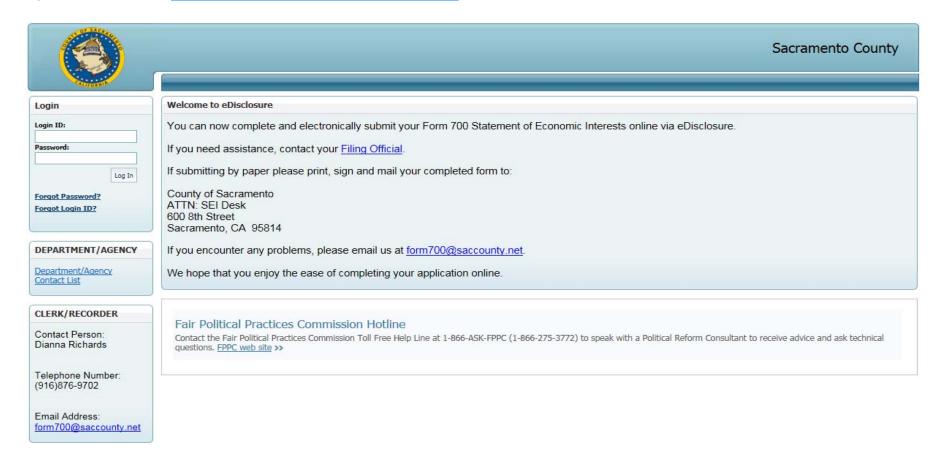
Your Login ID is: CookieS@Saccounty.net

Your temporary Password is: w=Hq8mbi

Once you log into the system, you will need to create a new password and answer a security question.

System Logon Link: <u>www.saccounty.net/Form700</u>

Log on to *eDisclosure* with your login id (county email address) and temporary password. www.saccounty.net/Form700



Change Password



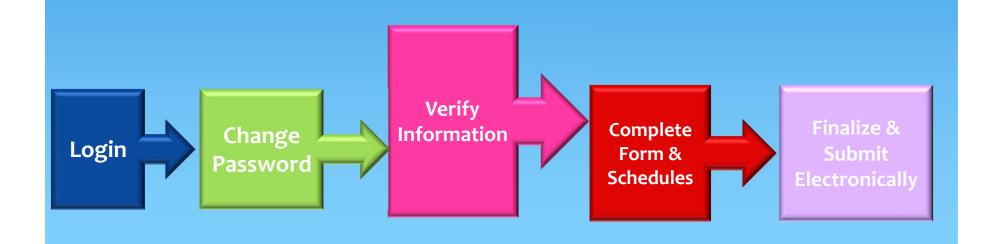
Changing your Temporary Password

Change Password

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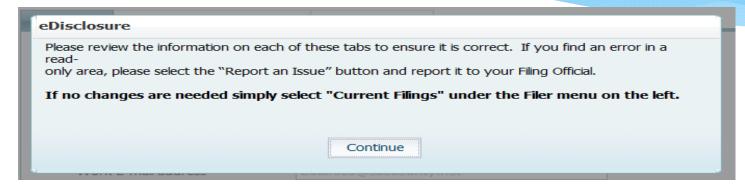
| Welcome to eDisclosure | |
|--|------------------------------|
| Please create a new password. Your password must be at least: a. 8 characters b. Contain an upper and a lower case letter(s) c. Contain a digit(s) d. Contain a special character: ~! @ # \$ % ^ & * () - = _ + | |
| Temporary Password: | ••••• |
| New Password: Confirm New Password: | •••••• |
| | •••••• |
| Select one of the security questions and type an answer to this question. | |
| Security Question | What is your favorite color? |
| (Select from list): Security Answer: | magenta |
| | |
| Submit | |

Verify Information



Verifying Information

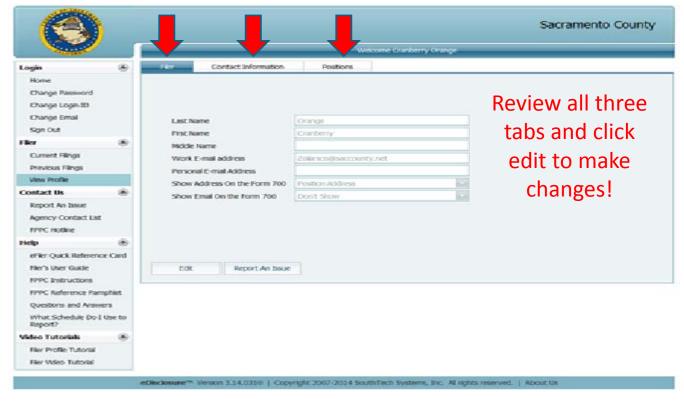
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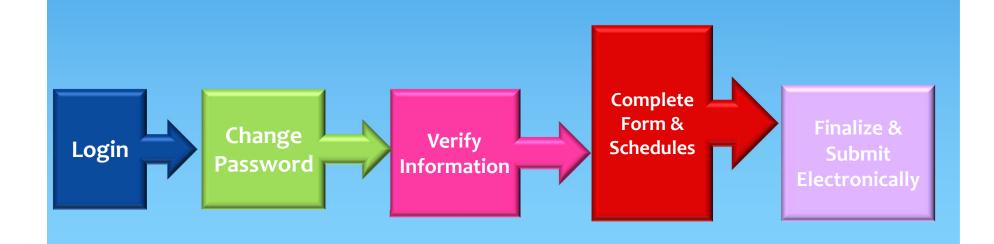
You will then be asked to review the information on the *Filer, Contact Information* and *Position* tabs.
Most of the information will be

prepopulated for

you.



Complete Form & Schedules



Form and Schedules

Filing Form 700

To start the filing process, place a check mark next to the position(s) that you want to file your statement for at this time and click "Start Filing Now" button.

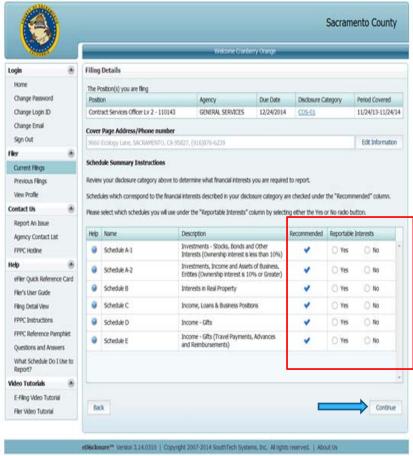


Complete Form and Schedules

Selecting your Schedule(s)

- You will arrive at your "Filing Detail View". Here is a list of schedules that are recommended, based upon that position's disclosure categories.
- If you have "reportable interest" in that schedule select "Yes". If you have "no reportable interest" on any or all of the schedules, please select "No" for all that apply.





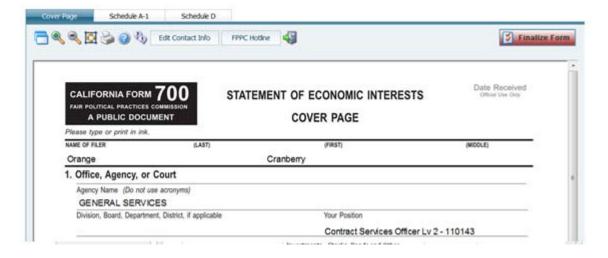
To go to the next step, click the "Continue" button.

Complete Form and Schedules

A pop-up box will then display confirming that you have "no reportable interests" on some or all schedules. If it is correct click "yes".



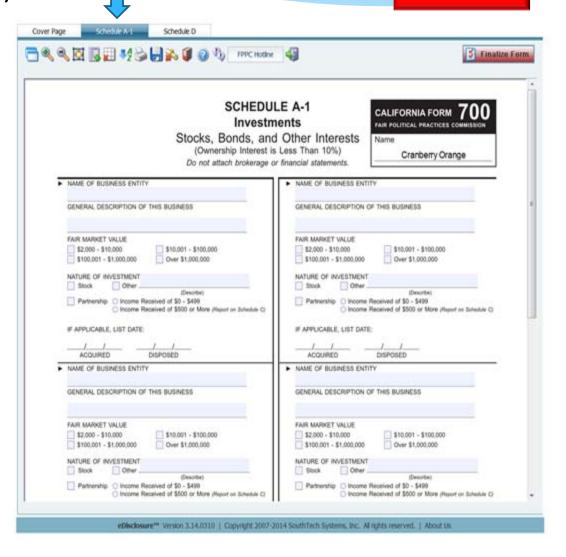
You will then be asked to review your cover page. The information will be pre-populated for you to review.



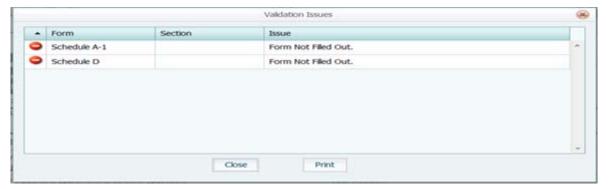
Complete Form and Schedules

Completing your Schedule(s)

- To start filing out a schedule, simply click the respective tab at the top of the page.
- On the schedule, blank fields require your input. Should you need assistance with or have questions about the schedule, simply click the question mark icon 2 to view detailed reference information.

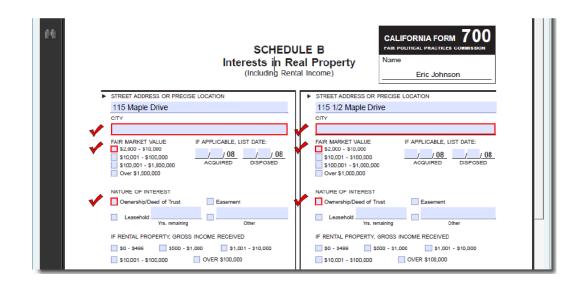


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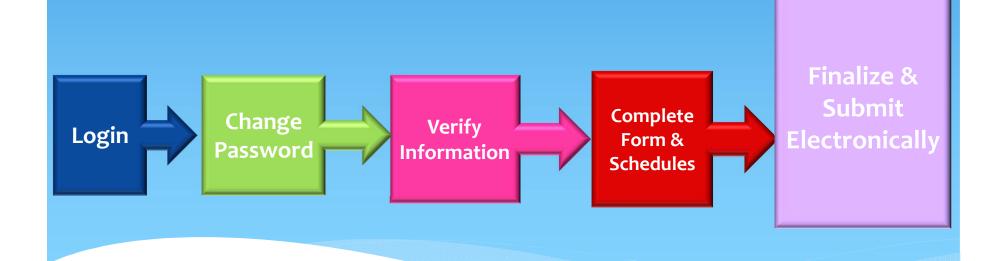


If you click on "Finalize Form" without completing the blank information you will get the following validation issues.

When you click "Close", you'll be taken back to the schedule with the validation issues marked in red.

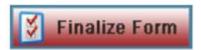


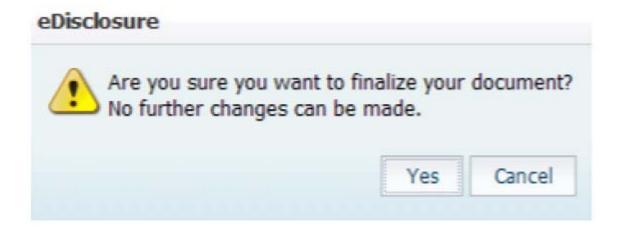
Finalize & Submit Electronically



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After you have entered all required information, you may proceed with the submission process by clicking the "Finalize Form" Button.

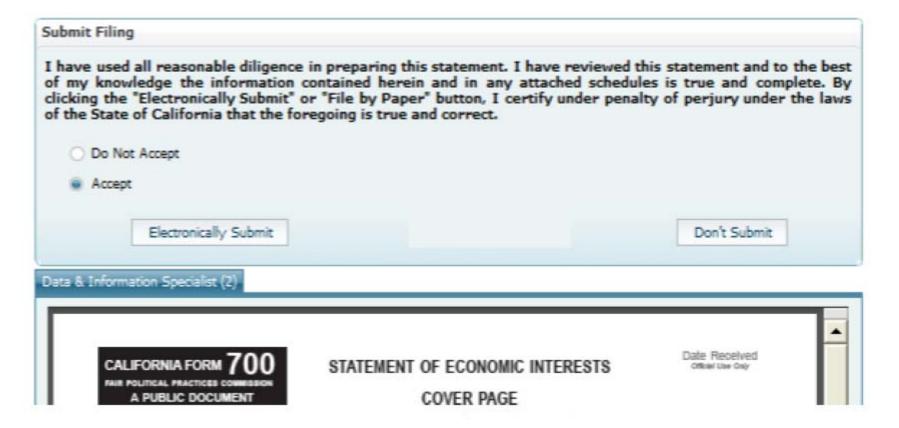




Submit Filing

Finalize & Submit Electronically

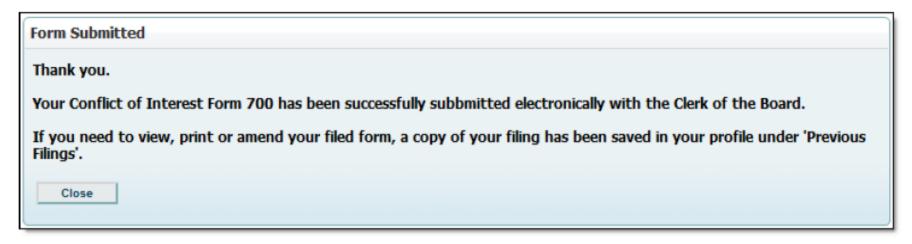
On the "Submit Filing" page you must accept the verification statement to proceed.
Once you select the "Accept" radio button, all submission/filing buttons will become active.



Submit Filing

Finalize & Submit Electronically

Electronically submit – Your form is instantly routed to your Filing Officer and archived under your "Previous Filings." You will receive a confirmation message on-screen and via email upon submission. When you submit electronically, you will receive the following confirmation message for each form that you accept and submit.



Finished!



Prior Filings

Your "Previous Filings" page lists prior submissions of FPPC Form 700 that you have made through the eDisclosure™ system.



Figure 13: Prior Filings

Note that when "Previous Filings" is selected, the menu options will update to provide you with helpful tips and references. You may sort the table by the following fields:

- Position
- Agency
- Type
- Year Filed
- Due Date
- Filed Date
- Disclosure Category (if you hover over the category number, you can view its description)

Note that you may have one or multiple positions listed in the table. At the bottom of the page, you will find buttons that allow you to view, print, save and amend your prior files, as well as generate a "Filings Report."

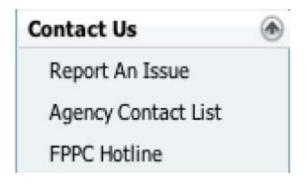


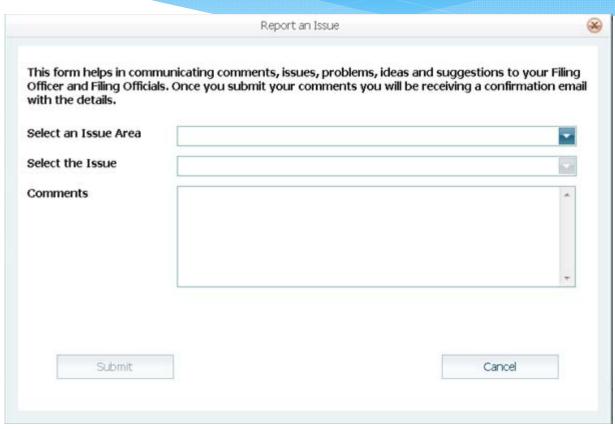
Note: You will not have any previous filings listed until you have submitted your first submission through eDisclosure.

Resources and Next Steps

Resources

Report an Issue:
While in eDisclosure you can report an issue by clicking on Report An Issue in the "Contact Us" menu bar.





Online Training Video

Next Steps

Training materials will be emailed to all filers

 You will receive two emails: one is welcoming you to the new system and the second is an email with username and login

QUESTIONS?