

evidence, hold a hearing, and propose a finding of fact and decision based on the conclusions of law as to whether a committee has violated the provisions of Chapter 56, *Iowa Code*. The commission may file a complaint on its own motion, or any eligible elector may file a complaint. The commission hears the complaint and proposes a decision based on conclusions of law as applied to the facts brought forth by the complainant. If the commission finds reasonable grounds to believe that a violation of the law has occurred, it may refer the complaints to the appropriate prosecuting authority.

The commission is also the Iowa depository for copies of disclosure material required to be filed by federal committees with the Federal Elections Commission in Washington, D.C. These records are also available to the public for viewing and copying at a nominal charge.

The Campaign Finance Disclosure Commission is also responsible for working with the state Department of Revenue and Finance and the Office of Management to administer the provisions of the Iowa election campaign fund. This fund allows any person whose state income tax liability for any taxable year is \$1.50 or more to designate \$1.50 of such liability to be paid over to the Iowa election campaign fund for the account of any specified political party, or to be split equally between them. In the case of a joint return, \$3 may be so designated. The commission monitors and audits the reports of the two parties' expenditure of these funds to assure that the expenditures are in accordance with statute and administrative rules.

## **CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION**

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RUBY ABEBE, Waterloo; term expires 1995  
 JEFFREY W. COURTER, Des Moines; term expires 1993  
 ORLANDO RAY DIAL, Waterloo; term expires 1993  
 SALLY M. O'DONNELL, Sioux City; term expires 1995  
 CAROLYN J. RANTS, Sioux City; term expires 1993  
 DALE P. REPASS, Dubuque; term expires 1993  
 KENNETH ROBINSON, Bayard; term expires 1995

Under an act of the 61st General Assembly as amended, the Civil Rights Commission is charged with investigating, holding hearings, and rendering decisions on any complaints of unfair or discriminatory practices in public accommodations, employment, credit, housing, apprenticeship programs, on-the-job training programs and vocational schools on the basis of age, race, creed, color, sex, religion, national origin, or disability; and with planning and conducting programs designed to eliminate racial, religious, cultural, and intergroup tensions. The commission consists of seven members appointed by the governor to staggered terms of four years subject to the advice and consent of the Senate. No more than four members of the commission shall belong to the same political party, and its membership shall represent as wide an area as practical. Hearings are provided in the event of failure of conciliation, and orders resulting from such hearings are subject to judicial review. Commission officers are elected by the members and serve for one year starting on May 1.

## **COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION**

*Gary W. Nichols, executive director; 201 Jewett Building, Des Moines 50309; 515/281-3501*

ROBERT E. PHIPPS, chair, Fairfield; term expires 1993  
 REP. HORACE DAGGETT, Creston; term expires 1994  
 JOHN V. HARTUNG, Indianola; term expires 1995  
 DENISE HILL, Des Moines; term expires 1994  
 WILLIAM L. LEPLEY, Des Moines; term is continuous  
 JOHN MCDONALD, Dallas Center; term expires 1993  
 MARY JEAN MONTGOMERY, Spencer; term expires 1993  
 SEN. LARRY MURPHY, Oelwein; term expires 1995  
 NANCY C. PELLETT, Atlantic; term expires 1995  
 R. WAYNE RICHEY, Des Moines; term expires 1995  
 JOHN B. RIGLER, Muscatine; term expires 1994  
 DESNA L. WALLIN, Clinton; term expires 1996