



The **Campaign Legal Center** is a non-profit organization that works in the areas of campaign finance, communications and government ethics. The Legal Center represents the public interest in administrative and legal proceedings where the nation's campaign finance and related media laws are enforced: at the Federal Election Commission (FEC), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), and in the courts. Most recently, our attorneys were members of the legal team that successfully defended the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 2002 (commonly called McCain-Feingold) before the U.S. Supreme Court.

We currently have **TWO part-time positions** available (for both Fall 2004 and Spring 2005) for 2L or 3L externs interested in working with our attorneys in constitutional, campaign finance, media, and/or election law. These are non-paid positions, but we will work with your institution to ensure you receive proper credit.

Job responsibilities will primarily consist of legal research, writing and drafting case briefs and amicus briefs. Following are some issues that we have recently been involved with:

#### **SUPREME COURT CASES**

*McConnell v. FEC* (challenge to the Bipartisan Campaign Finance Reform Act of 2002, before the three judge District Court and the U.S. Supreme Court)

*FEC v. Beaumont* (non-profit corporation campaign contributions)

*Nike v. Krasky* (corporate First Amendment case, and application to campaign speech)

#### **PROPOSED LEGISLATION**

McCain-Feingold-Durbin Broadcast Bill (would provide some free broadcast time to political candidates and parties)

Reform of the Federal Election

Commission Tax Credit for federal political contributions

Disclosure requirements for telephone banks and push polls

Houses of Worship Political Speech Protection Act, H.R. 2357 (would allow churches to engage in political activity-reformers have serious concerns)

Our Democracy, Our Airwaves (reforming the sale of advertising time to candidates)

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