

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS  
FROM  
MEETING ON MARCH 31, 2008

1. Is there a limit on the amount of funds a non-profit organization registered with the Secretary of State can raise or retain without losing their status?
2. Can a School support Organization host a dance at the school for the cheerleaders and retain the proceeds?
3. What if the SSO completes a Facilities Use Agreement with the school to use the facility and they handle all the arrangements? Are the proceeds considered Internal School Funds or Student Activity Funds?
4. Is a SSO on a fiscal year or a calendar year?
5. Can a SSO raise funds to support a high school baseball team and then donate those funds to another entity (i.e. the city) for renovation on the field? The team uses the city field for games.
6. If a Parent Teacher Association is affiliated with the state organization, are they considered non-profit? Or do they have to file with the Secretary of State?
7. What about a Parent Teacher Organization that is not affiliated with a state or national organization?
8. Can a school club hold a fund raiser to benefit the club and keep the proceeds? Would this be considered a way to bypass the SSOFFA?