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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO REPORTS OF CANDIDATE COMMITTEES.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. Section 11-334, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3           "(a) The candidate and treasurer of the candidate  
4 committee of each candidate whose name will appear on the ballot  
5 shall file preliminary, final, and supplemental reports as  
6 follows:

7           (1) The filing dates for preliminary reports are:

8           (A) Thirty calendar days before a primary, initial  
9           special, or initial nonpartisan election;

10           (B) Ten calendar days before a primary, initial  
11           special, or initial nonpartisan election; [~~and~~]

12           (C) October 1 of the year of a general election; and

13           (D) Ten calendar days before a general, subsequent  
14           special, or subsequent nonpartisan election;

15           provided that this preliminary report does not  
16           need to be filed by a candidate who is

17           unsuccessful in a primary, initial special, or



1           initial nonpartisan election, or a candidate who  
2           is elected to office in the primary, initial  
3           special, or initial nonpartisan election.

4           The preliminary report filed by the date required  
5           under subparagraph (A) shall be current through June  
6           30, and all other preliminary reports shall be current  
7           through the fifth calendar day before the filing  
8           deadline of those other preliminary reports;

9           (2) The filing date for the final primary report is twenty  
10           calendar days after a primary, initial special, or  
11           initial nonpartisan election. The report shall be  
12           current through the day of the applicable election;

13           (3) The filing date for the final election period report  
14           is thirty calendar days after a general, subsequent,  
15           subsequent special, or subsequent nonpartisan  
16           election. The report shall be current through the day  
17           of the applicable election. The final election period  
18           report shall be filed by a candidate who is  
19           unsuccessful in a primary, initial special, or initial  
20           nonpartisan election or a candidate who is elected to  
21           office in the primary, initial special, or initial



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1 nonpartisan election; provided that a candidate who is  
 2 elected and is to be sworn into office prior to thirty  
 3 calendar days after a general, subsequent, subsequent  
 4 special, or subsequent nonpartisan election in which  
 5 the candidate was elected, shall file the final  
 6 election period report three business days before the  
 7 date the candidate is to be sworn into office; and

8 (4) The filing dates for supplemental reports are:

9 (A) January 31 annually; and

10 (B) July 31 after an election year.

11 The report shall be current through December 31 for  
 12 the report filed on January 31 and current through  
 13 June 30 for the report filed on July 31."

14 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
 15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

16 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

17 INTRODUCED BY:

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
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 By Request



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**Report Title:**

Hawaii Campaign Spending Commission Package; Candidates;  
Candidate Committee Reports; Filing Dates

**Description:**

Adds a campaign spending report filing deadline of 10/1 during a  
general election year for candidates and candidate committees.

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