
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

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 subsections (a) and (b) to read as follows:

3 "(a) [~~The~~] In an election year, the candidate and
4 treasurer of the candidate committee of each candidate whose
5 name will appear on the ballot [~~in the immediately succeeding~~
6 ~~election~~] shall file preliminary^[7] and final^[7] ~~and~~
7 ~~supplemental~~] reports.

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

9 (A) Thirty calendar days [~~prior to~~] before a primary,
10 initial special, or initial nonpartisan election;

11 (B) Ten calendar days [~~prior to~~] before a primary,
12 [~~each~~] initial special, or [~~each~~] initial
13 nonpartisan election; and

14 (C) Ten calendar days [~~prior to~~] before a general,
15 subsequent special, or subsequent nonpartisan
16 election; provided that this preliminary report
17 does not need to be filed by a candidate who is
18 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
6 June 30, and all other preliminary reports shall be
7 current through the fifth calendar day before the
8 filing 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 and

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



1 office in the primary, initial special, or initial
2 nonpartisan election.

3 ~~[(4) The filing dates for supplemental reports are:~~

4 ~~(A) January 31 after an election year; and~~

5 ~~(B) July 31 after an election year.~~

6 ~~The report shall be current through December 31 for~~
7 ~~the report filed on January 31 and current through~~
8 ~~June 30 for the report filed on July 31.]~~

9 (b) [A] In an election year, the candidate and treasurer
10 of the candidate committee of each candidate whose name will
11 appear on the ballot shall file a supplemental report on January
12 31. In an election year, the candidate and treasurer of the
13 candidate committee of each candidate ~~[with a deficit or~~
14 ~~surplus]~~ whose name will not appear on the ballot ~~[in the~~
15 ~~immediately succeeding election],~~ and in a nonelection year, the
16 candidate and treasurer of the candidate committee of each
17 candidate, shall file a supplemental report ~~[every six months]~~
18 on January 31 and July 31 until ~~[+~~

19 ~~(1) The]~~ the candidate's name appears on the ballot and
20 then is subject to the reporting requirements in
21 subsection (a) ~~[+ or~~



1 ~~(2) The committee's registration is terminated as provided~~
2 ~~in section 11-326].~~

3 The report shall be current through December 31 for the
4 report filed on January 31 and current through June 30 for the
5 report filed on July 31."

6 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
7 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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



Report Title:

Campaign Spending Commission Package; Reports

Description:

Clarifies: (1) the due dates of preliminary, final, and supplemental reports to be submitted to the campaign spending commission; and (2) that the supplemental report due on January 31 must be filed every year.

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