

Regular Session, 2014

SENATE BILL NO. 272

BY SENATOR MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

CAMPAIGN FINANCE. Provides that changes to the forms by the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance and personal financial disclosure forms by the Board of Ethics shall be accomplished through approval of the Committees on Senate and Governmental Affairs and House and Governmental Affairs. (8/1/14)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1511.2(A)(5) and R.S. 42:1124(C), the introductory
3 paragraph of 1124.2(C), the introductory paragraph of 1124.2.1(C), and the
4 introductory paragraph of 1124.3(C) and to enact R.S. 18:1511.2(C) and R.S.
5 42:1124(B)(3), relative to the Supervisory Committee on Campaign Finance and the
6 Board of Ethics; to provide for the approval of forms and reports by the Senate
7 Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House
8 and Governmental Affairs; and to provide for related matters.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 18:1511.2(A)(5) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
11 18:1511.2(C) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

12 §1511.2 Supervisory Committee; rule-making authority; advisory opinions

13 A. The supervisory committee may adopt and promulgate rules and
14 regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act necessary to
15 effectuate the provisions and purposes of this Chapter. Such rules shall be in
16 conformity with the provisions of this Chapter and may include but shall not be
17 limited to any rule to:

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(5) Provide for preparation and distribution of forms for all reports required by this Chapter, as provided in R.S. 18:1511.3, and to provide instructions and explanation for the completion of such forms. **All forms developed and amended by the supervisory committee shall be submitted and approved by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs as provided for in Subsection C of this Section.**

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C. Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 42:1134(A), all forms developed and amended by the supervisory committee shall be submitted to the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs. Approval by both committees shall be required. Approval by either committee, meeting separately, shall require a favorable vote on the motion by a majority of the members present and voting, a quorum of the committee being present. Approval by the two committees, meeting jointly, shall require a favorable vote on the motion by a majority of the members thereof from each house present and voting, each house voting separately, a quorum of the joint committee being present.

Section 2. R.S. 42:1124(C), the introductory paragraph of 1124.2(C), the introductory paragraph of 1124.2.1(C), and introductory paragraph of 1124.3(C) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 42:1124(B)(3) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1124. Financial disclosure; statewide elected officials; certain public servants

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(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 42:1134(A), all forms developed and amended by the Board of Ethics shall be submitted to the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs. Approval by both committees shall be

1 **required. Approval by either committee, meeting separately, shall require a**
 2 **favorable vote on the motion by a majority of the members present and voting,**
 3 **a quorum of the committee being present. Approval by the two committees,**
 4 **meeting jointly, shall require a favorable vote on the motion by a majority of**
 5 **the members thereof from each house present and voting, each house voting**
 6 **separately, a quorum of the joint committee being present.**

7 C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form
 8 prescribed by the Board of Ethics **and approved by the Senate Committee on**
 9 **Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and**
 10 **Governmental Affairs as provided for in Paragraph (3) of subsection B of this**
 11 **Section** and shall include the following information:

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13 §1124.2. Financial disclosure; certain elected officials; members of certain boards
 14 and commissions; ethics administrator

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16 C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form
 17 prescribed by the Board of Ethics **and approved by the Senate Committee on**
 18 **Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and**
 19 **Governmental Affairs as provided for in R.S. 42:1124(B)(3)** and shall include the
 20 following information:

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22 §1124.2.1. Financial Disclosure; members of boards and commissions

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24 C. The financial statement required by this Section shall be filed on a form
 25 prescribed by the Board of Ethics **and approved by the Senate Committee on**
 26 **Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and**
 27 **Governmental Affairs as provided for in R.S. 42:1124(B)(3)** and shall include the
 28 following information:

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