

SENATE BILL 1623

By Massey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2;
Title 3 and Title 8, relative to campaign finances.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-114(b)(2)(G), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

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(i) Salary payments to a member of a candidate's family, unless:

(a) The family member is providing bona fide services to the campaign and provides the same, or substantially similar, services to at least one (1) other candidate, person, or entity. For purposes of this subdivision (b)(2)(G)(i)(a), "entity" does not include a political campaign committee established or controlled by the candidate; and

(b) The family member receives fair market compensation for all services provided to the candidate.

(ii) Salary payments to a member of a candidate's family that exceed the fair market value of the services provided.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.