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Mr. Speaker:

The Political Subdivisions Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 41**, CAMPAIGN REPORT AMENDMENTS, by Representative S. Allen, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 36 through 37:*

36 Other Special Clauses:

37        ~~{None}~~     **This bill coordinates with S.B. 21, Campaign Finance Disclosure Revisions, by providing superceding amendments.**

2. *Page 13, Line 399 through Page 14, Line 422:*

399        20A-11-105. Amending financial statements -- Fees.

400        (1) **For the purposes of this section, "election cycle" means the two year period commencing on March 1 in a regular general election year and ending on the last day of February in the next regular general election year.**

      (2) A person may file an amended financial statement to correct any financial statement

401 filed under the requirements of this chapter, using the form required by the election officer,

402 either:

403        (a) voluntarily; or

404        (b) at the direction of the election officer, as provided for in this chapter.

405        ~~{(2) The}~~     **(3) (a) Subject to the requirements of Subsection (3)(b), the**  
election officer shall assess an administrative fee for each amended financial

406 statement filed, which fee shall equal ~~{the greater of:~~

407 ~~—(a) \$25; or~~

408 ~~—(b)}~~ the total of the following assessments, which shall be assessed for each change

409 made in the amended financial statement:

410        (i) for a **substantive** change of the name of an individual or source making a contribution or public

411 service assistance, 5% of the contribution or public service assistance;

412        (ii) for a **substantive** change of the name of a person or entity receiving disbursement of an

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413 expenditure, 5% of the amount of the expenditure;  
414 (iii) for a change that results in an increase in the reported amount of a contribution  
or  
415 public service assistance, 5% of the difference between the amended financial statement  
and  
416 the previously filed financial statement;  
417 (iv) for a change that results in an increase in the reported amount of an expenditure,  
418 5% of the difference between the amended financial statement and the previously filed  
419 financial statement; or  
420 (v) for a newly reported contribution, public service assistance, or expenditure, or a  
421 substantive change in {both} the name and a change in the amount  
associated with a contribution, public service  
422 assistance, or expenditure, 5% of the contribution, public service assistance, or  
expenditure.

**(b) The election officer shall waive the first \$50 of fees that are assessable to a person during an election cycle under Subsection (3)(a), except in no case shall the election officer enforce collection of a fee that is less than \$25.**

3. *Page 24, Lines 739 through 740:*

739 (iii) The lieutenant governor shall report all violations of Subsection [~~(2)~~] (3)(c)(i) to  
740 the attorney general.

**Section 15. Coordinating H.B. 41 with S.B. 21 -- Superseding Amendments.**  
**If this H.B. 41 and S.B. 21, Campaign Finance Disclosure Revisions, both pass, it is the intent of the Legislature that the references to "September 15" in Subsections 20A-11-103(1)(a)(iv) and (1)(b)(iv) in this bill be replaced with "August 31".**

Respectfully,

Fred R Hunsaker  
Committee Chair

Voting: 9-2-0

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