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Representative Daniel McCay proposes the following substitute bill:

CANDIDATE FUNDRAISING AMENDMENTS

2015 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Daniel McCay

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill permits a person to make a campaign contribution to a legislator or the governor during a legislative session if the legislator or governor receiving the contribution is running for federal office and the contribution is made to the governor's or legislator's campaign for federal office.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ permits a person to make a campaign contribution to a legislator or the governor during a legislative session if the legislator or governor receiving the contribution is running for federal office and the contribution is made to the governor's or legislator's campaign for federal office;

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- ▶ prohibits an individual who is a legislator or a governor, and who receives a lawful contribution during a legislative session, from expending the contribution on the individual's own campaign for public office until on or after the later of:
 - January 1 of the next calendar year; or
 - the day on which the individual files a declaration of candidacy; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

36-11-305, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2011, Chapter 250

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **36-11-305** is amended to read:

36-11-305. Campaign contribution during session prohibited.

(1) As used in this section:

(a) "Candidate" means an individual who:

(i) files a declaration of candidacy for federal office; or

(ii) receives a political contribution, makes an expenditure, or gives consent for any other person to receive a political contribution or make an expenditure to bring about the individual's nomination or election to a federal office.

(b) "Federal office" means president of the United States, United States senator, or United States representative.

(c) (i) "Legislative session" means an annual general session, veto override session, or special session.

(ii) "Legislative session" does not include an extraordinary session.

(d) "Political committee" means:

(i) a political action committee, as defined in Section 20A-11-101; or

(ii) a political issues committee, as defined in Section 20A-11-101.

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(e) "Political contribution" means a campaign contribution, or a contract, promise, or agreement to make a campaign contribution, to:

(i) the governor, the governor's personal campaign committee, or a political action committee controlled by the governor; or

(ii) a legislator, a legislator's personal campaign committee, or a political action committee controlled by a legislator.

~~[(1) It is unlawful for a]~~ (2) A person, lobbyist, principal, or political committee [to] may not make a [campaign contribution or contract, promise, or agree to make a campaign contribution to a legislator or a legislator's personal campaign committee, or a political action committee controlled by a legislator during the time the Legislature is convened in annual general session, veto override session, or special session] political contribution to a legislator during a legislative session, unless the legislator is a candidate for federal office and the contribution is made to the legislator's campaign for federal office.

~~[(2) It is unlawful for a]~~ (3) A person, lobbyist, principal, or political committee [to] may not make a [campaign contribution, or contract, promise, or agree to make a campaign contribution, to the governor, the governor's personal campaign committee, or a political action committee controlled by the governor during the time the Legislature is convened in annual general session, veto override session, special session] political contribution to the governor during a legislative session, or during the [time] period established [by the] in Utah Constitution, Article VII, Section 8, for the governor to approve or veto bills passed by the Legislature in the annual general session, unless the governor is a candidate for federal office and the contribution is made to the governor's campaign for federal office.

(4) An individual who is a legislator or a governor, to whom a person, lobbyist, principal, or political committee makes a lawful contribution under Subsection (2) or (3), may not expend the political contribution on the individual's own political campaign for public office, as defined in Section 20A-11-101, until on or after the later of:

(a) January 1 of the next calendar year after the calendar year in which the contribution is made; or

(b) the day on which the individual files a declaration of candidacy for public office.

~~[(3) Any]~~ (4) (5) A person who violates this section is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

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