

PROPOSED AMENDMENT
SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1393
(Reference to printed bill)

1 Page 15, after line 45, insert:

2 "Sec. 14. Section 16-912, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 16-912. Candidates and independent expenditures; campaign
5 literature and advertisement sponsors; identification;
6 civil penalty

7 A. A political committee that makes an expenditure for campaign
8 literature or advertisements that expressly advocate the election or defeat
9 of any candidate or that make any solicitation of contributions to any
10 political committee shall be registered pursuant to this chapter at the time
11 of distribution, placement or solicitation and shall include on the
12 literature or advertisement the words "paid for by" followed by the name of
13 the committee that appears on its statement of organization or five hundred
14 dollar exemption statement.

15 B. If the expenditure for the campaign literature or advertisements by
16 a political committee is an independent expenditure, the political committee,
17 in addition to the disclosures required by subsection A of this section,
18 shall include on the literature or advertisement the names and telephone
19 numbers of the ~~three political committees making the~~ FOUR largest
20 ~~contributions to~~ MAJOR FUNDING SOURCES FOR the political committee making the
21 independent expenditure. If an acronym is used to name any political
22 committee ~~outlined~~ PRESCRIBED in this section, the name of any sponsoring
23 organization of the political committee shall also be printed or spoken. For
24 purposes of determining the ~~three contributors~~ FOUR LARGEST MAJOR FUNDING
25 SOURCES to be disclosed, the contributions of each political committee to the
26 political committee making the independent expenditure during the one year
27 period before the election being affected are aggregated. FOR THE PURPOSES
28 OF THIS SECTION, A MAJOR FUNDING SOURCE OF A POLITICAL COMMITTEE IS ANY
29 CONTRIBUTOR THAT IS NOT AN INDIVIDUAL PERSON AND THAT HAS MADE CUMULATIVE
30 CONTRIBUTIONS OF EITHER:

31 1. TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS OR MORE FOR AN EXPENDITURE IN SUPPORT OF OR
32 OPPOSITION TO A STATEWIDE CANDIDATE OR A CANDIDATE FOR AN ELECTED OFFICE

1 GOVERNING A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION WITH A POPULATION OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND
2 PERSONS OR MORE.

3 2. FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS OR MORE FOR AN EXPENDITURE IN SUPPORT OF OR
4 OPPOSITION TO A CANDIDATE FOR THE LEGISLATURE OR AN ELECTED OFFICE GOVERNING
5 A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION WITH A POPULATION OF LESS THAN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND
6 PERSONS.

7 C. ~~The provisions of~~ Subsection A of this section ~~do~~ DOES not apply to
8 bumper stickers, pins, buttons, pens and similar small items on which the
9 statements required in subsection A of this section cannot be conveniently
10 printed or to signs paid for by a candidate with campaign monies or by a
11 candidate's campaign committee or to a solicitation of contributions by a
12 separate segregated fund from those persons it may solicit pursuant to
13 sections 16-920 and 16-921.

14 D. The disclosures required pursuant to this section shall be printed
15 clearly and legibly in a conspicuous manner or, if the advertisement is
16 broadcast on a telecommunications system OTHER THAN RADIO, the disclosure
17 shall be spoken. A RADIO ADVERTISEMENT IS EXEMPT FROM THE SPOKEN DISCLOSURE
18 REQUIREMENT OF THIS SECTION.

19 E. A person who violates this section is subject to a civil penalty of
20 up to three times the cost of producing and distributing the literature or
21 advertisement. This civil penalty shall be imposed as prescribed in section
22 16-924."

23 Renumber to conform

24 Page 31, after line 42, insert:

25 "Sec. 29. Effective date

26 Section 16-912, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended by this act, is
27 effective from and after December 31, 2010.

28 Amend title to conform

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