

# HOUSE BILL No. 1092

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 3-9-2-10; IC 3-9-3-2.7; IC 3-14-1-3.

**Synopsis:** Campaign finance disclosure. Requires a candidate's committee to include on certain communications a notice whenever the candidate's committee has spent more than the total compensation provided by law for the term of office to which the candidate seeks election. Provides that failure to include the notice is a Class A misdemeanor.

**Effective:** January 1, 1999.

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January 6, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Elections and Apportionment.

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Introduced

Second Regular Session 110th General Assembly (1998)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1997 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 3-9-2-10, AS AMENDED BY P.L.3-1997,  
2 SECTION 179, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
3 [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1999]: Sec. 10. An individual, an  
4 organization, or a committee shall include in all literature and  
5 advertisements soliciting contributions **the following:**  
6 (1) The notice required under IC 3-9-3-2.5. ~~and~~  
7 (2) Any notice required under Section 6113 of the Internal  
8 Revenue Code (26 U.S.C. 6113).  
9 (3) **Any notice required under IC 3-9-3-2.7.**  
10 SECTION 2. IC 3-9-3-2.7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
11 AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
12 JANUARY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 2.7. (a) This section applies as follows:**  
13 (1) **This section applies only to a communication paid for by**  
14 **a candidate's committee.**  
15 (2) **This section applies only to a communication for which a**  
16 **statement is required under section 2.5 of this chapter.**  
17 (3) **This section applies only when the total amount of**

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1           expenditures made by a candidate's committee exceeds the  
2           amount of the total compensation provided by law for the  
3           term of office to which the candidate seeks election.

4           **(b) In addition to the statement required by section 2.5 of this**  
5           **chapter, a communication must contain the following statement:**

6           **"The candidate who is presenting this communication to you**  
7           **has spent more money seeking election to this office than the**  
8           **amount of the annual compensation provided by law for the**  
9           **office."**

10          **(c) The statement required by subsection (b) must be in bold**  
11          **print in at least 12 point typeface.**

12          SECTION 3. IC 3-14-1-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.3-1997,  
13          SECTION 400, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
14          [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1999]: Sec. 3. An individual, an  
15          organization, or a committee that circulates or publishes material in an  
16          election without the statement required under:

17                 **(1) IC 3-9-3-2.5; or**  
18                 **(2) IC 3-9-3-2.7, if applicable;**  
19          commits a Class A misdemeanor.

