

ENROLLED ACT NO. 22, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
2022 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to campaign reports; requiring all campaigns and political action committees to file an itemized statement of contributions and expenditures; removing a requirement that limited the reports to funds that were expended; increasing the fine for failing to file a campaign report with the secretary of state; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 22-25-106(b)(i) and 22-25-108(f)(i) are amended to read:

22-25-106. Filing of campaign reports.

(b) Reports of itemized statements of contributions and expenditures, and statements of termination shall be made with the appropriate filing officers specified under W.S. 22-25-107 and in accordance with the following:

(i) Except as otherwise provided in this section, any political action committee and candidate's campaign committee, or any political action committee formed under the law of another state that contributes to a Wyoming political action committee or to a candidate's campaign committee, ~~which expends any funds in any primary, general or special election~~ shall file an itemized statement of contributions and expenditures at least seven (7) days but not more than fourteen (14) days before any primary, general or special election. Any contribution received or expenditure made after the statement has been filed, through the day of the election, whether a primary, general or special election, shall be filed as an amendment to the statement within ten (10) days after the election;

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**22-25-108. Failure of persons to file reports;
notice; penalties; reconsideration.**

(f) The appropriate filing office or the county attorney, for reports required to be filed with the county clerk, shall issue a final order imposing the civil penalty specified in this subsection against any person failing to comply with W.S. 22-25-106 twenty-one (21) days from the date the notice was sent under subsection (b) of this section. The final order shall be sent to the person at their address of record and shall notify the person of the right to request reconsideration of the order as provided in subsection (h) of this section. The filing office or county attorney shall impose the following civil penalty in the final order:

(i) Up to five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per day beginning on the date of the final order and ending when the report is filed for a failure to file a report with the secretary of state;

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Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2022.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

Chief Clerk