



Open Government Impact Statement

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SUMMARY

Expands legal expenses for which principal campaign committees, political committees and petition committees can use amounts received as contributions.

Clarifies that definition of contribution or expenditure does not include payment for legal and accounting services rendered to candidate or political committee if person paying for services is regular employer of employee or independent contractor rendering services and services are solely for purpose of ensuring compliance with election laws and government ethics laws.

Establishes limited liability for principal campaign committees, political committees and petition committees.

Permits committees to sue, be sued and complain and defend in courts in own name.

Permits committees to indemnify persons for acts as director, manager, employee or agent of committee.

NOTICE OF NO OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT