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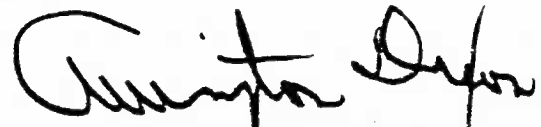
NOTICE

D.C. LAW 4-88

"Election, Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, Latino Community Development, and Official Correspondence Regulations Amendments Act of 1981".

Pursuant to Section 412 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, P. L. 93-198, "the Act", the Council of the District of Columbia adopted Bill No. 4-271 on first and second readings, November 24, 1981 and December 8, 1981, respectively. This legislation was deemed approved without the signature of the Mayor on January 20, 1982, pursuant to Section 404(e) of "the Act", and was assigned Act No. 4-142, published in the January 29, 1982 edition of the D.C. Register, (Vol. 29 page 458) and transmitted to Congress on January 25, 1982 for a 30-day review, in accordance with Section 602 (c)(1) of the Act.

The Council of the District of Columbia hereby gives notice that the 30-day Congressional Review Period has expired, and therefore, cites this enactment as D.C. Law 4-88, effective March 16, 1982.



ARRINGTON DIXON
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

January	25, 26, 27, 28, 29
February	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
March	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15

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AN ACT

D.C. ACT 4 - 142

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To amend An Act To regulate the election of delegates representing the District of Columbia to national political conventions, and for other purposes; the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act; the District of Columbia Latino Community Development Act; the Official Correspondence Regulations; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Election, Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, Latino Community Development, and Official Correspondence Regulations Amendments Act of 1981".

Sec. 2. An Act To regulate the election of delegates representing the District of Columbia to national political conventions, and for other purposes, approved August 12, 1955 (69 Stat. 699; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1301 et seq.) is amended as follows:

(a) Section 1(3) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1301(3)) is amended by striking the phrase "clauses (1) and (2) above" and inserting the phrase "paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection" in lieu thereof.

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D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1301
(1981 ed.)

(b) Section 2(15) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1302(15)) is amended by striking the sentence "Such entities shall

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1302
(1981 ed.)

be treated as a political committee as defined in section 1-1121(e) of the D.C. Code, as amended, (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1121(e)) for the purposes of this act." and inserting the sentence "Such entities shall be treated as a political committee as defined in section 102(5) of the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, approved August 14, 1974 (88 Stat. 446; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1401(5)) for the purposes of this Act." in lieu thereof.

(c) Section 3(a) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1303(a)) is amended by striking the word "section" and inserting the word "Act" in lieu thereof.

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sec. 1-130
(1981 ed.)

(d) Section 5 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1306) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-130
(1981 ed.)

(1) subsection (b)(3) is amended as follows:

(A) paragraph "(3)" is redesignated as paragraph "(3)(A)";

(B) subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", and "(D)" are redesignated as sub-subparagraphs "(i)", "(ii)", "(iii)", and "(iv)" respectively; and

(C) the paragraph beginning "No candidate for delegate" is designated as subparagraph (B);

(2) subsection "(g)" is redesignated as subsection "(f)" and amended to read as follows:

"(f)(1) The Board shall prescribe such regulations as may be necessary to ensure that all

persons responsible for the proper administration of this Act maintain a position of strict impartiality and refrain from any activity which would imply support or opposition to:

"(A) A candidate or group of candidates for office in the District of Columbia; or

"(B) Any political party or political committee

"(2) As used in this subsection, the terms 'office', 'political party', and 'political committee' shall have the same meaning as that prescribed in section 102 of the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, approved August 14, 1974 (88 Stat. 447; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1401)."; and

(5) subsection "(h)" is redesignated as subsection "(g)".

(e) Section 7 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1311) is amended as follows:

(1) subsection (b)(2) is amended by striking the figure "(9)" and inserting the figure "7" in lieu thereof;

(2) the first sentence of subsection (e) is amended by striking the figure "15" and inserting figure "19" in lieu thereof; and

(3) subsection (g) is amended to read as follows:

"(g) The registry shall be open during reasonable

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sec. 1-13
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business hours, except that the registry shall not be open during the 30-day period which immediately precedes any regular primary, special, or general election or during the 15-day period immediately following any regular primary, special, or general election held under this Act. Registration forms received by mail from eligible voters shall be processed as provided by this section. Registration forms postmarked during the 30-day period immediately preceding or during the 15-day period immediately following any regular primary, special, or general election held under this Act shall be processed after the registry reopens. The Board may close the registry on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays."

(f) Section 8 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1312) is amended as follows:

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sec. 1-131
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(1) subsections (a) and (c) are amended by striking the word "clause" wherever it appears and inserting the word "paragraph" in lieu thereof;

(2) subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(A) by designating the existing text as paragraph "(1)" and striking the word "such";

(B) by adding new paragraphs (2) and (3) at the end thereof to read as follows:

"(2) Only qualified registered electors of the District of Columbia are authorized to circulate nominating petitions of candidates for elected office

pursuant to this Act.

"(3) Any circulator who willfully violates any provision of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine not more than \$10,000 or to imprisonment of not more than 6 months, or both. Each occurrence of a violation of this section shall constitute a separate offense. Violation of this section shall be prosecuted in the name of the District of Columbia by the Corporation Counsel of the District of Columbia.";

(3) subsection (h)(1)(B)(i) is amended by striking the phrase "clause (ii) of this paragraph" and inserting the phrase "sub-subparagraph (ii) of this subparagraph" in lieu thereof;

(4) subsections "(m)", "(n)", "(o)", "(p)", "(q)", and "(r)" are redesignated as subsections "(l)", "(m)", "(n)", "(o)", "(p)", and "(q)" respectively;

(5) subsection (1)(1) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by striking the word "clause" wherever it appears and inserting the word "paragraph" in lieu thereof;

(6) subsection (o)(1) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by striking the phrase "for any office" and inserting the phrase "for the office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissioner or such officials referred to in paragraphs (2) and (4) of section 1 of this Act" in lieu thereof;

(7) A new subsection (o)(2a) is added to read as follows:

"(2a) The Board may accept any nominating petition for a candidate for the office of Delegate, Mayor, Chairman of the Council, Councilmember At-Large, Ward Councilmember, member of the Board of Education, National Committeewoman or Alternate, National Committeeman or Alternate, and shall certify, within 30 days, whether the petitions bear the necessary number of registered qualified electors' signatures to qualify such nominee as a candidate for the office(s) referred to in this paragraph. This certification may be made by a bona fide random and statistical sampling method. Should the Board find that the same persons have signed a petition for the same candidate more than once, it shall count only 1 signature of such persons. The Board shall issue supplemental rules concerning the challenge of such petitions."; and

(8) Subsection (1)(3) (as redesignated by this subsection) is repealed.

(g) Section 9 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1313) is amended by adding a new subsection (j) at the end thereof to read as follows:

"(j) The Board shall receive the ballots cast and deposit them in a secure place where they shall be safely kept for 12 months. Inspection of such ballots shall be made in accordance with regulations of the

Board. Whenever the ballots shall have remained in the custody of the Board for 12 months, and no election contest or other proceeding is pending in which the ballots may be needed as evidence, the Board may destroy such ballots."

(h) Section 10(a) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1314(a)) is amended by striking the phrases "clause (1)" and "clause (4)" and inserting the phrases "paragraph (1)" and "paragraph (4)" in lieu thereof respectively.

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sec. 1-1314
(1981 ed.)

(i) Section 14 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1318) is amended as follows:

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sec. 1-1318
(1981 ed.)

(1) subsection (b)(3)(B) is amended by striking the phrase "or to circulate or solicit, to procure or not to procure, or to obtain or not to obtain," and inserting the phrase "his or her" in lieu thereof; and

(2) new paragraph (4) is added at the end of subsection (b) to read as follows:

"Any proposer or circulator of an initiative, referendum, or recall petition who willfully violates any provision of sections 16 and 17 shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine of not more than \$10,000 or to imprisonment of not more than 6 months, or both. Each occurrence of a violation of sections 16 and 17 of this Act shall constitute a separate offense. Violations of sections 16 and 17 of this Act shall be prosecuted in the name of the

District of Columbia by the Corporation Counsel of the District of Columbia."

(j) Section 15(b) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1319(b)) is amended by striking the phrase "paragraph (a)" and inserting the phrase "subsection (a)" in lieu thereof.

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(k) Section 16 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1320) is amended as follows:

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(1) subsection (a)(1) is amended by adding the following sentence to the end thereof to read as follows:

"The Board shall accept the language contained in the proposer's text as reflecting the true intent and meaning of the measure.";

(2) subsection (b) is amended to read as follows:

"(1) Upon receipt of each proposed initiative or referendum measure, the Board shall refuse to accept the measure if the Board finds that it is not a proper subject of initiative or referendum, whichever is applicable, under the terms of title IV of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 774; D.C. Code, sec. 1-221 et seq.) or upon any of the following grounds:

"(A) the verified statement of contributions has not been filed pursuant to sections 204 and 206 of the District of Columbia Campaign

Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, approved August 14, 1974 (88 Stat. 451; D.C. Code, secs. 1-1414 & -1416);

"(B) the petition is not in the proper form established in subsection (a) of this section;

"(C) the measure authorizes, or would have the effect of authorizing, discrimination prohibited under the Human Rights Act of 1977, effective December 13, 1977 (D.C. Law 2-38; D.C. Code, sec. 1-2501 et seq.); or

"(D) the measure presented would negate or limit an act of the Council of the District of Columbia pursuant to section 446 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat 774; D.C. Code, sec. 47-304).

"(2) In the case of refusal to accept a measure, the Board shall endorse on the measure the words 'received but not accepted' and the date, and retain the measure pending appeal. If none of the grounds for refusal exists, the Board shall accept the measure.

"(3) If the Board refuses to accept any initiative or referendum measure submitted to it, the person or persons submitting such measure may apply, within 10 days after the Board's refusal to accept such measure, to the Superior Court of the District of

Columbia for a writ in the nature of mandamus to compel the Board to accept such measure. The Superior Court of the District of Columbia shall expedite consideration of the matter. If the Superior Court of the District of Columbia determines that the issue presented by the measure is a proper subject of initiative or referendum, whichever is applicable, under the terms of title IV of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 774; D.C. Code, sec. 1-221 et seq.), and that the measure is legal in form, does not authorize discrimination as prescribed in subsection (b)(1)(C) of this section, and would not negate or limit an act of the Council of the District of Columbia as prescribed in subsection (b)(1)(D) of this section, it shall issue an order requiring the Board to accept the measure. Should the Superior Court of the District of Columbia hold in favor of the proposer, it may award court costs and reasonable attorneys' fees to the proposer.

"(4) After subject determination has been made the Board shall assign a serial number to each initiative and referendum measure, using separate series of numbers for initiative and separate series of numbers for referendum measures. Thereafter, a measure shall be known and designated on all petitions, ballots and proceedings as 'Initiative Measure No. ____' or

'Referendum Measure No. ____'.":;

(3) subsection (c) is amended as follows:

(A) the introductory clause is amended to read as follows:

"(c) Within 20 days, of the date on which the Board accepts an initiative or referendum measure, the Board shall:";

(B) paragraph (3) is amended to read as follows:

"(3) prepare, in the proper legislative form, the proposed initiative or referendum measure, where applicable, which shall conform to the legislative drafting format of acts of the Council of the District of Columbia. The Board may consult experts in the field of legislative drafting, including, but not limited to, Corporation Counsel of the District of Columbia and officers of the Council of the District of Columbia for the purpose of preparing the measure in its proper legislative form.";

(4) subsection (d) is amended by striking the phrase "person or organization proposing the" and inserting the phrase "proposer of the" in lieu thereof;

(5) subsection (e) is amended as follows:

(A) the first sentence of paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase "If the proposer" and inserting the phrase "If any registered qualified elector of the District of Columbia" in lieu thereof;

and

(B) paragraph (3) is amended to read as follows:

"(3) Should the Superior Court of the District of Columbia hold in favor of the proposer, it may award court costs and reasonable attorneys' fees to the proposer.";

(6) The last sentence of subsection (f) is amended to read as follows:

"The Board shall, upon the request of any person, make single copies of the approved short title, summary statement, and full legislative text available at no charge. Additional copies shall be made available at a nominal cost.";

(7) subsection (h) is amended as follows:

(A) paragraph (1) is amended to read as follows:

"(1) Before circulating the petition, the proposer shall submit the petition to the Board for final approval that the form of the petition is in compliance with the provisions of subsection (g) of this section. The Board shall inform the proposers of this approval or disapproval within 8 calendar days by certified mail. If the Board disapproves of the petition form, it shall notify the proposer of specific modifications needed in the form for compliance.";

(B) a new paragraph (3) is added at the

end thereof to read as follows:

"(3) The Board shall refuse to accept any petition sheet which was circulated by a person who was not a qualified registered elector of the District of Columbia and shall consider any signatures contained thereon invalid for the purpose of certifying whether the initiative or referendum measure qualified for the ballot pursuant to subsection (o) of this section";

(8) subsection (j) is amended as follows:

(A) paragraph (1) is amended to read as follows:

"(1) A proposer of an initiative measure shall have 180 calendar days, beginning on the 1st calendar day immediately following the date upon which the Board certifies, according to subsection (h) of this section, that the petition form of such initiative measure is in its final form to secure the proper number of valid signatures needed on the initiative petition to qualify such a measure for the ballot, pursuant to subsection (i) of this section and to file such petition with the Board."; and

(B) paragraph (3) is amended by striking the subsection designation "(f)" and inserting the subsection designation "(h)" in lieu thereof;

(9) subsection (k) is amended to read as follows:

"(k)(1) Upon submission of an

initiative or referendum petition by the proposer to the Board, the Board shall refuse to accept the petition upon any of the following grounds:

"(A) the petition is not in the proper form established in subsection (g) of this section;

"(B) the time limitation established in subsection (j) of this section within which the petition may be circulated and submitted to the Board has expired;

"(C) the petition on its face clearly bears an insufficient number of signatures;

"(D) the petition sheets do not have attached to them the statements of the circulators as provided in subsection (h) of this section; or

"(E) the petition was circulated by persons who were not qualified registered electors of the District of Columbia pursuant to section (h) of this section.";

(10) subsection (1) is amended as follows:

(A) by striking the phrase ", and does not authorize discrimination as prescribed in subsection (k)(6) of this section and would not limit an act of the Council of the District of Columbia as prescribed in subsection (k)(7) of this section,"; and

(B) by amending the last sentence thereof to read as follows: "Should the Superior Court of the District of Columbia hold in favor of the

proposer, it may award court costs and reasonable attorneys' fees to the proposer.";

(11) subsection (o) is amended as follows:

(A) by striking the phrase

"representatives of such committee or committees" and inserting the phrase "two (2) persons representing such committee or committees" in lieu thereof; and

(B) by striking the phrase "section 8(p)(2)" and inserting the phrase "section 8(o)(2)" in lieu thereof;

(12) subsection (p) is amended as follows:

(A) by designating the existing text as paragraph "(1)"; and

(B) by adding a new paragraph (2) at the end thereof to read as follows:

"(2) The Board shall publish the established legislative text of an initiative or referendum measure in no less than two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the District of Columbia within 30 calendar days after the date upon which the Board certifies, pursuant to paragraph (1) of this subsection, that the measure has qualified for appearance on an election ballot."; and

(13) The phrase ", as amended," is struck, wherever it appears.

(1) Section 17 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1321) is amended as follows:

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(1) subsection 17(b) is amended by:

(A) designating the initial material as paragraph "(1)";

(B) redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", and "(D)" respectively;

(C) redesignating paragraphs "(4)(A)" and "(4)(B)" as paragraphs "(4)(D)(i)" and "(4)(D)(ii)" respectively; and

(D) designating the sentence beginning "A separate notice" as paragraph "(2)";

(2) subsection (e)(1) is amended by striking the phrase "five (5)" and inserting the numeral "8" in lieu thereof;

(3) subsection (i) is amended by:

(A) designating the initial material as paragraph "(1)";

(B) redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", "(4)", "(5)", and "(6)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", "(D)", "(E)", and "(F)" respectively; and

(C) designating the additional material as paragraph "(2)"; and

(D) adding a new subparagraph (G) at the end of subsection (i)(1) to read as follows:

"(G) The petition was circulated by persons who were not qualified registered electors of

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the District of Columbia pursuant to subsection (f) of this section.";

(4) subsection (j) is amended as follows:

(A) paragraph (1) is amended by striking the last sentence thereof; and

(B) paragraph (2) is amended by striking the word "shall" and inserting the word "may" in lieu thereof;

(5) subsection (k) is amended as follows:

(A) paragraph (1) is amended by adding the following sentence at the end thereof to read as follows:

"This certification for recall petitions may be made by a bona fide random and statistical sampling method."; and

(B) paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase "section 8(p)(2)" and inserting the phrase "section 8(o)(2)" in lieu thereof; and

(6) the phrases ", as amended,", ", as amended", and "(P.L. 93-198)" are struck wherever they appear.

(m) A new section 18 is added at the end thereof to read as follows:

"Sec. 18. This act may be cited as the 'District of Columbia Election Code of 1955'."

(n) The words "him" and "himself" are deleted and the phrases "him or her" and "himself or herself" are

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inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(o) Except in section 1(3) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1301(3)) and section 3(a) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1303(a)), the phrases "Board of Elections" and "Board of Elections and Ethics" are struck and the word "Board" is inserted in lieu thereof.

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(p) The word "first", the word "second", the word "fourth", the word "thirtieth", the word "sixty-ninth", the word "ninety-fourth", and the word "one hundred twenty-third" are struck and the ordinals "1st", "2nd", "4th", "30th", "69th", "94th", and "123rd" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

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(q) The word "one" or the phrase "one (1)", the word "two" or the phrases "Two (2)" or "two (2)", the word "three" or the phrase "three (3)", the word "four", the word "five" or the phrase "five (5)", the word "seven" or the phrase "seven (7)", the word "eight" or the phrase "eight (8)", the phrase "ten (10)", the word "fourteen" or the phrase "fourteen (14)", the phrase "fifteen (15)", the phrase "twenty (20)", the word "thirty" or the phrase "thirty (30)", the phrase "forty-five (45)", the phrase "fifty (50)", the phrase "fifty-four (54)", the word "sixty", the word "sixty-nine" or the phrase "sixty-nine", the word "ninety" or the phrase "ninety (90)", the word "one hundred" or the phrase "one hundred (100)", the phrase "one hundred fourteen" or the phrase "one hundred and

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fourteen (114)", the phrase "one hundred twenty", the phrase "one hundred and eighty (180)", the phrase "two hundred" or the phrase "two hundred (200)", the phrase "three hundred fifty", the phrase "three hundred and fifty (350)", the phrase "three hundred sixty-five" or the phrase "three hundred and sixty-five (365)", the phrase "five hundred", the phrase "one thousand", the phrase "two thousand", the phrase "seven thousand five hundred" are deleted and the numerals "1", "2", "3", "4", "5", "7", "8", "10", "14", "15", "20", "30", "45", "50", "54", "60", "69", "90", "100", "114", "120", "180", "200", "350", "365", "500", "1000", "2000", "3000", and "7500" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(r) The phrases "one per centum", "one (1) per centum", and "1½ per centum" are struck and the phrases "1 per centum", "1 per centum", and "1½ per centum" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(s) The phrases "Superior Court", "two-thirds", "\$50.00", "January 1", "September 1", "July 1", "5 o'clock postmeridian", "8 o'clock postmeridian", "7 o'clock antemeridian", "12 o'clock noon", "one hundred dollars (\$100)", "twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50)", "twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500)", and "twenty-six thousand five hundred dollars (\$26,500)", are struck and the phrases "Superior Court of the District of Columbia", "2/3rds",

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"\$50", "January 1st", "September 1st", "July 1st", "5:00 p.m.", "8:00 p.m.", "7:00 a.m.", "12:00 noon", "\$100", "\$12.50", "\$12,500", and "26,500" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

Sec. 3. The District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, approved August 14, 1974 (88 Stat. 446; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1401 et seq.) is amended as follows:

(a) Section 102 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1401) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1401
(1981 ed.)

(1) by redesignating subsections "(a)", "(b)", "(c)", "(d)", "(e)", "(f)", "(g)", "(h)", "(i)", "(j)", and "(k)" as paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", "(4)", "(5)", "(6)", "(7)", "(8)", "(9)", "(10)", and "(11)" respectively;

(2) paragraph (2) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", and "(3)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", and "(C)" respectively;

(3) paragraph (4) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended as follows:

(A) by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", and "(D)" respectively;

(B) paragraph (4)(C) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by striking the phrase "clauses (1) and (2) above" and inserting the phrase

"subparagraphs (A) and (B) of this paragraph" in lieu thereof; and

(4) paragraph (5) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended as follows:

(A) by inserting immediately following the word "any" the phrase ", proposer, individual,"; and

(B) by striking the phrase ", promoting or opposing a political party or the nomination or election of an individual to office" and inserting the phrase ": promoting or opposing a political party, promoting or opposing the nomination or election of an individual to office, or promoting or opposing any initiative, referendum, or recall" in lieu thereof;

(5) paragraph (6) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended as follows:

(A) by designating the sentence commencing with the phrase "The term 'contribution' means" as paragraph "(A)";

(B) by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)" as subparagraphs "(i)", "(ii)", "(iii)", and "(iv)" respectively;

(C) paragraph (6)(A)(i) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by adding the following phrase at the end thereof: ", or to bring about the ratification or defeat of any initiative, referendum, or recall measure.";

(D) by designating material starting with the phrase "Notwithstanding the foregoing" as paragraph "(B)";

(E) paragraph (6)(B) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by redesignating subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", "(D)", "(E)", "(F)", "(G)", and "(H)" as sub-subparagraphs "(i)", "(ii)", "(iii)", "(iv)", "(v)", "(vi)", "(vii)", and "(viii)" respectively;

(F) paragraph (6)(B)(viii) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by striking the phrase "(G) and (H)" and inserting the phrase "sub-subparagraphs (vii) and (viii) of this paragraph" in lieu thereof; and

(6) paragraph (7) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", and "(D)" respectively.

(b) Section 204(b)(6) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1414(b)(6)) is amended by striking the phrases "2(c) of this act" and "2(d) of this act" and inserting the phrases "16 of this Act" and "17 of this Act" in lieu thereof respectively.

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(c) Section 206 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1416) is amended by redesignating subsection "(e)" as subsection "(d)".

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(d) Section 301 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1431) is

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amended by adding a new subsection (b-1) to read as follows:

"(b-1)(1) The Board may issue, amend, and rescind rules and regulations related to the operation of the Director, absent recommendation of the Director.

"(2) The Board shall prepare an annual report of the Director's performance pursuant to his or her functions as prescribed in section 303 of this Act in addition to those duties the Board may by law assign.";

(e) Section 302(a) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1432(a)) is amended as follows:

(1) by redesignating subsection "(a)" as subsection "(a)(1)";

(2) by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", "(4)", "(5)", "(6)", and "(7)" as subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", "(D)", "(E)", "(F)", and "(G)" respectively;

(3) subsection (a)(1)(D) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended by striking the phrase "paragraph (3) of this subsection" and inserting the phrase "subparagraph (C) of this paragraph" in lieu thereof; and

(4) by designating the final sentence beginning "Subpoenas issued under" as paragraph "(2)".

(f) Section 306(c) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1435(c)) is

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amended as follows:

(1) by designating the initial material as paragraph "(1)"; and

(2) by designating the material beginning with the phrase "Advisory opinions" as paragraph "(2)".

(g) Section 401 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1441) is amended by redesignating subsections "(b)", "(c)", "(d)", "(e)", "(f)", "(g)", and "(h)" as subsections "(a)", "(b)", "(c)", "(d)", "(e)", "(f)", and "(g)" respectively.

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1441
(1981 ed.)

(h) Section 402 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1443) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1443
(1981 ed.)

(1) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

"(a) The Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, and each member of the Council may establish citizen-service programs within the District of Columbia. The Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, and each member of the Council may finance the operation of such programs with contributions from persons, Provided, That contributions received by the Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, and each member of the Council do not exceed an aggregate amount of \$25,000 in any 1 calendar year. The Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, and each each member of the Council may expend a maximum of \$25,000 in any 1 calendar year for such programs. No person shall make any contribution which,

and neither the Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, nor any member of the Council shall receive any contribution from any person which, when aggregated with all other contributions received from such person, exceed \$200 per calendar year, Provided, That such \$200 limitation shall not apply to contributions made by the Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, or any member of the Council for the purpose of funding his or her own citizen-service programs within the District of Columbia. The Mayor, the Chairman of the Council, and each member of the Council shall file a quarterly report of all contributions received and monies expended in accordance with this subsection with the Director of Campaign Finance. No campaign activities shall be conducted nor shall campaign literature or paraphernalia be distributed as part of citizen-service programs conducted pursuant to this subsection."

(2) subsection (c) is amended by inserting immediately following the phrase "at the fair market value of such property" the phrase "not to exceed \$1,000 per calendar year";

(3) A new subsection (e) is added at the end thereof to read as follows:

"(e) Activities authorized by this section may be carried on at any location in the District of Columbia Provided, That employees of the District of Columbia government do not engage in citizen-service fund

raising activities during normal business hours."; and

(4) subsection (b) is repealed.

(i) Section 501 (D.C. Code, sec. 1451) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1451
(1981 ed.)

(1) by redesignating subsections "(a)", "(b)", and "(c)" as paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", and "(3)" respectively;

(2) by redesignating subsection "(1)" as paragraph "(4)";

(3) by redesignating subsections "(d)", "(e)", "(f)", "(h)", "(i)", "(j)", and "(k)" as paragraphs "(5)", "(6)", "(7)", "(8)", "(9)", "(10)", "(11)", and "(12)" respectively;

(4) paragraph (7) (as redesignated by this subsection) is amended as follows:

(A) by redesignating paragraphs "(1)", and "(2)" as subparagraphs "(A)" and "(B)" respectively;

(B) by redesignating subparagraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", "(D)", "(E)", and "(F)" as subparagraphs "(i)", "(ii)", "(iii)", "(iv)", "(v)" and "(vi)" respectively; and

(C) by striking the phrase "102(j)" and inserting the phrase "102(10)" in lieu thereof.

(j) Section 503 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1453) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-145
(1981 ed.)

(1) by designating the initial material as

subsection "(a)";

(2) by redesignating subsections "(a)", "(b)", "(c)", and "(d)" as paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", and "(4)";

(3) by designating the sentence beginning "Any person who is" as subsection "(b)"; and

(4) in subsection (b) (as redesignated by this subsection) by striking the phrase "subsection (a)" and inserting the phrase "paragraph (1) of subsection (a)" in lieu thereof.

(k) Section 505 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1455) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-14
(1981 ed)

(1) by redesignating paragraphs "(A)", "(B)", "(C)", "(D)", "(E)", and "(F)" as paragraphs "(1)", "(2)", "(3)", "(4)", "(5)", and "(6)" respectively;

(2) by redesignating subsection "(a)(2)" (as redesignated by this subsection) as subsection "(a)(2)(A)"; and

(3) by designating the sentence beginning with the phrase "Each expenditure of \$50" as subparagraph "(B)".

(l) Section 602(c) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1462(c)) is amended as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1462
(1981 ed.,

(1) by striking the phrase "section (b) of this title" and inserting the phrase "subsection (b) of this section" in lieu thereof; and

(2) by amending the final sentence to read as follows: "In the event of the death or termination of service of the Mayor or Chairman or member of the Council of the District of Columbia or President or member of the Board of Education, or officer or employee of the District of Columbia, such papers shall be returned to such individual, or to the surviving spouse or legal representative of such person within 1 year of such date or termination of service."

(m) Section 701(d) (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1471(d)) is amended to read as follows:

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-14
(1981 ed.)

"(d) Prosecutions of violations of this Act, except as provided in section 14(b)(4) of the District of Columbia Election Code of 1955 (D.C. Code, sec. 1318(b)(4)), shall be brought by the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia in the name of the United States."

(n) A new section 701a is added to read as follows:

"Sec. 701a(a). Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, neither the Board, or any of its officers or employees, nor the Director, or any of his or her officers or employees, may require that a document be sworn under oath unless the Board and Director maintain at the place of receipt of such documents and during regular business days and hours, a notary public to administer such oaths.

New
D.C. Code,
sec. 1-14
(1981 ed.)

"(b) If no such notary public is available, persons wishing to file documents for which an oath is requested, may, in lieu thereof, affirm by their signature that their statements are true under penalty of section 701 of this Act."

(o) Section 703 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1472) is amended as follows:

(1) by designating the initial material as subsection "(a)"; and

(2) by designating the material beginning with the phrase "An individual defeated" as subsection "(b)".

(p) The words "him" and "himself" are struck and the phrases "him or her" and "himself or herself" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(q) The words "first", "second", "tenth", "fifteenth", "twenty-first", and "thirtieth" are struck and the ordinals "1st", "2nd", "10th", "15th", "21st", and "30th" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(r) The word "one", the phrase "three (3)", the word "four" or the phrase "four (4)", the word "five" or the phrase "five (5)", the word "six", the word "ten", the phrase "fifteen (15)", the phrase "twenty (20)", the phrase "twenty-one", the phrase "twenty-four", the phrase "thirty (30)", the word "sixty", and the phrase "ninety (90)" are struck and the numerals "1", "3", "4", "5", "6", "10", "15", "20",

D.C. Code,
sec. 1-1472
(1981 ed.)

D.C. Code,
secs. 1-140
to -1473
(1981 ed.)

D.C. Code,
secs. 1-140
to -1473
(1981 ed.)

D.C. Code,
secs. 1-140
to -1473
(1981 ed.)

"21", "24", "30", "60", and "90" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

(s) The phrases "or recall", "January 15", "August 15", and "May 15" are struck and the phrases "or recall", "January 15th", "August 15th", and "May 15th" are inserted in lieu thereof respectively.

D.C. Code, sec. 1-140 to -1473 (1981 ed.)

Sec. 4. Section 7 of the Official Correspondence Regulations, effective April 7, 1977 (D.C. Law 1-118; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1706) is amended by adding a new subsection (f) at the end thereof to read as follows:

D.C. Code, sec. 1-170 (1981 ed.)

(f) An elected official may not mail as official mail, information which would exceed the provisions of section 5 and section 8 of the act of fund raising appeals related to citizen-service activities established pursuant to section 402 of the District of Columbia Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, effective September 2, 1976 (D.C. Law 1-79; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1443).

Sec. 5. Sections 404 and 405 of the District of Columbia Latino Community Development Act, effective September 29, 1979 (D.C. Law 1-86; D.C. Code, secs. 1-2324 & -2325) are amended as follows:

(a) Section 404 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-2324) is amended by adding the following sentence at the end thereof to read as follows: "No member shall serve beyond the expiration of his or her term."; and

D.C. Code, sec. 1-23 (1981 ed.)

(b) Section 405 (D.C. Code, sec. 1-2325) is

D.C. Code, sec. 1-23 (1981 ed.)

amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 405. Appointments. When a vacancy develops on the Commission, the Mayor shall appoint a successor, with the advice and consent of the Council, to complete the unexpired term."

Sec. 6. Title IV of the District of Columbia Election Act Amendments of 1976, effective September 2, 1976 (D.C. Law 1-79; D.C. Code, sec. 1-1309) is amended by striking the word "eight", the phrase "one hundred eighty", and the phrase "five percent" and inserting the numeral "8", the numeral "180", and the phrase "5 percent" in lieu thereof respectively.

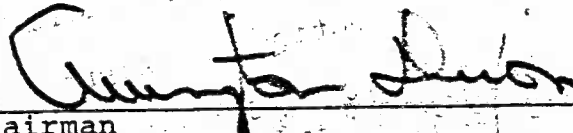
D.C. Code,
sec. 1-13
(1981 ed.)

Sec. 7. Sections 4 and 8 of the Initiative, Referendum and Recall Procedure Act of 1979, effective June 7, 1979 (D.C. Law 3-1; D.C. Code, secs. 1-1324 & -1442) are amended by striking the phrases ", as amended," and "as amended".

D.C. Code
secs. 1-
& -1442
(1981 ed.)

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect after a thirty (30)-day period of Congressional review following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council of the District of Columbia to override the veto) as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December

24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code, sec. 1-233(c)(1)).



Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia

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APPROVED: January 20, 1982 .



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Council Period Four
First Session

DOCKET NO: B 4-271

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION: Adopted First Reading, 11-24-81

VOICE VOTE: By Majority

Absent: Clarke

ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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WINTER					MASON					SPAULDING				
CLARKE					MOORE, JR.					WILSON				
CRAWFORD					RAY									
JARVIS					ROLARK									

X - Indicates Vote A.B. - Absent N.V. - Not Voting

CERTIFICATION OF RECORD

John P. Brown
Secretary to the Council

1-4-82
Date

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION: Adopted Final Reading, 12-8-81

VOICE VOTE: By Majority

Absent: all present

ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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ACTION: _____

VOICE VOTE: _____

Absent: _____

ROLL CALL VOTE:

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