

BY: Senator Della

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 721

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “altering” in line 3 down through “requirements.” in line 7 and substitute “requiring certain elected officials, and affiliated campaign fund-raising entities, to file, on a certain date following the convening of a regular legislative session, a statement of contributions and transfers if the amount of contributions and transfers exceeds a specified sum; providing for the application of this Act; providing for the effective date of this Act; and generally relating to campaign finance reporting requirements.”; and strike in their entirety lines 8 through 17, inclusive, and substitute:

“BY adding to

Article - Election Law

Section 13-307

Annotated Code of Maryland

(As enacted by Chapter _____ (S.B. 1) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2002)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 through 8, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 20 on page 1 through line 33 on page 8 and substitute:

“Article - Election Law

13-307.

(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO:

(1) THE GOVERNOR, THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE COMPTROLLER, AND A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND

(Over)

(2) ANY CAMPAIGN FUND-RAISING ENTITY AFFILIATED WITH AN OFFICEHOLDER LISTED IN ITEM (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.

(B) ON OR BEFORE THE THIRD MONDAY FOLLOWING THE CONVENING OF A REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AN OFFICEHOLDER AND FUND-RAISING ENTITY SHALL FILE A STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND TRANSFERS RECEIVED BY THAT PERSON THAT COVERS THE PERIOD SINCE THE END OF THE PERIOD ENCOMPASSED BY THE LAST PRECEDING REPORT FILED UNDER THIS TITLE AND CONTINUING THROUGH, BUT NOT INCLUDING, THE FIRST DAY OF THE REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION IF THE OFFICEHOLDER OR FUND-RAISING ENTITY RECEIVED AGGREGATE CONTRIBUTIONS AND TRANSFERS IN EXCESS OF \$5,000 SINCE THE PERIOD COVERED BY THE LAST REPORT FILED UNDER THIS TITLE.

(C) THE REPORT FILED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION IS IN ADDITION TO ANY REPORT REQUIRED UNDER § 13-304 OR § 13-309 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(D) A STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS AND TRANSFERS REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE ELECTRONICALLY FILED IN A FORMAT SPECIFIED BY THE STATE BOARD.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the additional reporting requirement imposed under § 13-307 of the Election Law Article as enacted by this Act shall take effect with the commencement of the General Assembly term that begins on January 8, 2003.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, subject to the provisions of Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall take effect January 1, 2003.”.