

Year of Act	Public Act Number	Section Numbers	Compiled Laws Sections (1970)
1947	299	6 and 7	331.506 and 331.507
1948, 1st Ex. Ses.	39	1	557.251
1954	215		4.532
1955	241		10.101 to 10.102
1955	279		4.561
1956	210		4.580
1957	305		4.630
1958	225		4.649
1959	139		4.669
1960	162		4.689
1960, 1st Ex. Ses.	1		400.381 to 400.382
1961	194		4.698 to 4.702
1962	241		4.718 to 4.721
1963	230		4.740 to 4.746
1963, 2nd Ex. Ses.	52	3 and 4	691.1063 and 691.1064
1964	203		400.141 to 400.142
1965	380	505	16.605
1967, Ex. Ses.	12	8	252.158
1975	227		169.1 to 169.200

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.  
Approved July 2, 1980.

**[No. 181]**

AN ACT to amend section 34 of Act No. 388 of the Public Acts of 1976, entitled "An act to regulate political activity; to regulate campaign financing; to restrict campaign contributions and expenditures; to require campaign statements and reports; to regulate anonymous contributions; to regulate campaign advertising and literature; to provide for segregated funds for political purposes; to provide for the use of public funds for political purposes; to create a state campaign fund; to provide for reversion of, or refunding of, unexpended balances; to require reports; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," being section 169.234 of the Compiled Laws of 1970.

*The People of the State of Michigan enact:*

**Section amended; campaign financing and advertising.**

Section 1. Section 34 of Act No. 388 of the Public Acts of 1976, being section 169.234 of the Compiled Laws of 1970, is amended to read as follows:

**169.234 Campaign statement of ballot question committee; filing schedule; late filing fee; violation as misdemeanor; penalty. [M.S.A. 4.1703(34)]**

Sec. 34. (1) A ballot question committee shall file a campaign statement as required by this act according to the following schedule:

(a) A preelection campaign statement, of which the closing date shall be the sixteenth day before the election, shall not be filed later than the eleventh day before the election.

(b) A postelection campaign statement, the closing date of which shall be the twentieth day following the election shall not be filed later than the thirtieth day following an election. If all liabilities of the committee are paid before the closing date and additional contributions are not expected, the campaign statement may be filed at any time after the election, but not later than the thirtieth day following the election.

(2) A ballot question committee supporting or opposing a statewide ballot question shall file a campaign statement, of which the closing date shall be the twenty-eighth day following the qualification of the measure, not later than 35 days after the ballot question is qualified for the ballot. If the ballot question fails to qualify for the ballot, the ballot question committee shall file the campaign statement within 35 days after the final deadline for qualifying, the closing date of which shall be the twenty-eighth day following the deadline.

(3) If a ballot question committee supporting or opposing a statewide ballot question fails to file a preelection statement under this section, that committee or its treasurer shall pay a late filing fee for each day the statement remains not filed not to exceed \$1,000.00, pursuant to the following schedule:

(a) First day—\$25.00.

(b) Second day—\$50.00.

(c) Third day—\$75.00.

(d) Fourth day and for each subsequent day that the statement remains unfiled—\$100.00.

(4) If a ballot question committee supporting or opposing a statewide ballot question fails to file a statement other than a preelection statement under this section, that committee or its treasurer, shall pay a late filing fee of \$25.00 for each day the campaign statement remains not filed in violation of this section not to exceed \$1,000.00.

(5) If a ballot question committee supporting or opposing other than a statewide ballot question fails to file a statement under this section, that committee or its treasurer, shall pay a late filing fee of \$10.00 for each day the campaign statement remains not filed in violation of this section, not to exceed \$300.00.

(6) If a ballot question committee is in violation of subsection (1) or (2) for more than 7 days, that committee or its treasurer, is guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00, or imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or both.

(7) If a ballot question committee knowingly files an incomplete or inaccurate statement or report required by this section, that committee or its treasurer, is guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00, or imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or both.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Approved July 2, 1980.

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[No. 182]

AN ACT to amend section 2 of Act No. 17 of the Public Acts of 1921, entitled as amended "An act to provide for the protection and conservation of the natural