



State of Wisconsin
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**SENATE AMENDMENT 2,
TO SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 1997 SENATE BILL 7**

June 12, 1997 – Offered by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM
AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:

2 **1.** Page 4, line 10: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
3 page 5, line 2 and substitute:

4 “7.08 (2) (c) As soon as possible after the canvass of the spring and September
5 primary votes, but no later than the first Tuesday in March and the 4th Tuesday in
6 September, transmit to the state treasurer a certified list of all eligible candidates
7 for state office who have filed applications under s. 11.50 (2) and ~~whom~~ who the board
8 determines to be eligible to receive payments from the Wisconsin election campaign
9 fund. The board shall also transmit a similar list of candidates who the board
10 determines to be eligible to receive a supplementary grant under s. 11.50 (3) (c), (4)
11 (e) or (9) (b) within 5 days after the candidates qualify to receive the grants. Each
12 list shall contain each candidate’s name, the mailing address indicated upon the

1 candidate’s registration form, the office for which the individual is a candidate and,
2 the party or principle which he or she represents, if any.”.

3 **2.** Page 5, line 14: delete lines 14 to 21 and substitute “candidate and the party
4 or principle which he or she represents, if any.”.

5 **3.** Page 22, line 11: delete “No” and substitute “Except as authorized in this
6 subsection, no”.

7 **4.** Page 22, line 22: after that line insert:

8 “(c) This subsection does not apply to a contribution made to an individual who
9 is a candidate for state office at a special election or a personal campaign committee
10 of such a candidate if the contribution is received by the candidate or committee
11 during the period commencing on the date that the special election is ordered and
12 ending on the date of the special election or the date of the special primary if the
13 candidate is not nominated at the primary.”.

14 **5.** Page 32, line 7: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
15 page 33, line 9 and substitute:

16 “11.50 (2) (b) 5. The financial reports filed by or on behalf of the candidate as
17 of the date of the spring or September primary, or the date that the special primary
18 is or would be held, if required, indicate that the candidate has received an amount
19 equal to at least the amount provided in this subdivision 5% of the applicable
20 authorized disbursement limitation for candidates other than candidates
21 challenging incumbent officeholders, as determined under s. 11.31 (1) and adjusted
22 under s. 11.31 (9), from contributions of money, other than loans, made by individuals
23 who reside in this state and in the case of a candidate for legislative office, made by
24 individuals at least 50% of whom reside in the legislative district in which the

1 candidate seeks office, which have been received during the period ending on the date
2 of the spring primary and July 1 preceding such date in the case of candidates at the
3 spring election, or the date of the September primary and January 1 preceding such
4 date in the case of candidates at the general election, or the date that a special
5 primary will or would be held, if required, and 90 days preceding such date or the
6 date a special election is ordered, whichever is earlier, in the case of special election
7 candidates, which contributions are in the aggregate amount of \$100 or less, and
8 which are fully identified and itemized as to the exact source thereof. A contribution
9 received from a conduit ~~which is identified by the conduit as originating from an~~
10 ~~individual shall~~ may not be considered as a contribution made by the an individual
11 for the purpose of qualifying for a grant under this subdivision. Only the first \$100
12 of an aggregate contribution of more than \$100 may be counted toward the required
13 percentage. ~~For a candidate at the spring or general election for an office identified~~
14 ~~in s. 11.26 (1) (a) or a candidate at a special election, the required amount to qualify~~
15 ~~for a grant is 5% of the candidate's authorized disbursement limitation under s.~~
16 ~~11.31. For any other candidate at the general election, the required amount to~~
17 ~~qualify for a grant is 10% of the candidate's authorized disbursement limitation~~
18 ~~under s. 11.31."~~

19 **6.** Page 33, line 10: delete lines 10 to 25.

20 **7.** Page 34, line 1: delete lines 1 to 23.

21 **8.** Page 38, line 5: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
22 page 39, line 2 and substitute:

23 "11.50 (4) (c) The legislative and special election campaign account shall be
24 divided into a senate campaign account to receive 25% of the moneys, and an

1 assembly campaign account to receive 75% of the moneys. Each account shall then
2 be apportioned between all eligible candidates for the same office in the entire state.
3 No apportionment shall be made by legislative district, except as provided in par. (e).

4 (cm) ~~Each~~ Except as provided in par. (e) and sub. (9) (b), each eligible candidate
5 for the same office at a special election shall receive an equal amount, which amount
6 shall be equivalent to the maximum grant which was payable to any candidate for
7 that office at the most recent spring or general election. The amount shall be drawn
8 from the senate campaign account and the assembly campaign account in the same
9 proportions as the balance in each account bears to the total balance in both accounts
10 at the time that payments are made. Whenever there are insufficient moneys in the
11 senate campaign account and the assembly campaign account to make the payments
12 required by this paragraph, payments shall be appropriately reduced or
13 discontinued by the board.

14 (d) ~~Within~~ Except as provided in par. (e) and sub. (9) (b), within the accounts
15 established under this subsection for each office at each general election, the entire
16 amount of all available moneys shall be apportioned equally to all eligible
17 candidates.”.

18 **9.** Page 39, line 23: delete lines 23 to 25.

19 **10.** Page 40, line 1: delete lines 1 to 3.

20 (END)