

State of Misconsin 1999 - 2000 LEGISLATURE

ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 110

March 23, 1999 – Offered by COMMITTEE ON CAMPAIGNS AND ELECTIONS.

1 AN ACT to amend 11.33 (title) and (1) (a) and 11.33 (1) (b); and to create 11.33

- 2 (1) (a) 5. of the statutes; **relating to:** use of public funds by certain state and
- 3 local officials for production or distribution of certain materials.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4	SECTION 1. 11.33 (title) and (1) (a) of the statutes are amended to read:
5	11.33 (title) Use of government materials by candidates public officers.
6	(1) (a) No person <u>who is</u> elected to state or local office who becomes a candidate
7	for national, state or local office may use public funds for the cost of materials or
8	distribution for 50 or more pieces of substantially identical material distributed after
9	the earlier of the following dates:
10	1. In the case of <u>a person who becomes</u> a candidate who is nominated <u>for a</u>
11	national, state or local office for which nomination is by nomination papers, the first

1	day authorized by law for circulation of nomination papers as a candidate <u>for that</u>
2	<u>office</u> .
3	2. In the case of <u>a person who becomes</u> a candidate <u>for a national, state or local</u>
4	office and who is nominated for that office at a primary election by write-in votes,
5	the day the board of canvassers issues its determination that the person is
6	nominated.
7	3. In the case of <u>a person who becomes</u> a candidate <u>for a national, state or local</u>
8	office and who is nominated for that office at a caucus, the date of the caucus.
9	4. In the case of any other <u>a person who becomes a</u> candidate <u>for any national</u> ,
10	state or local office and who is nominated for that office solely by filing a declaration
11	of candidacy, the first day of the month preceding the month which includes the last
12	day for filing the declaration.
13	SECTION 2. 11.33 (1) (a) 5. of the statutes is created to read:
14	11.33 (1) (a) 5. In the case of a person who is not a candidate for a national, state
15	or local office, the first day of the month preceding the month which includes the last
16	day for filing a declaration of candidacy to succeed that person in office.
17	SECTION 3. 11.33 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
18	11.33 (1) (b) This subsection applies until after the date of the election or after
19	the date of the primary election if the person appears as a candidate on a primary
20	election ballot and is not nominated at the primary election at which successor to the
21	incumbent officer is elected.
22	(END)

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