

**Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 9, 2001**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1456
(Representatives Kroeber, Winrich)
(Senator Every)

AN ACT to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the filing of campaign contribution statements by political committees; and to provide a penalty.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Contributions statement required of political committees.

1. A political committee that solicits or accepts contributions for any political purpose shall file statements as required by this section.
2. A political committee shall file a detailed list showing the name and mailing address of each contributor who contributed in excess of two hundred dollars in the aggregate to the committee during a reporting period, the amount of each reportable contribution in excess of two hundred dollars, and the date each reportable contribution was received.
3. A political committee required to file a statement under this section shall file the statement in the office of secretary of state no later than the twelfth day before the date of any primary, special, or general election. The statement must be complete from the beginning of that calendar year through the twentieth day before the date of the primary, special, or general election. The political committee shall file a complete statement for the entire calendar year no later than the thirty-first day of January of the following year in which the political committee received a reportable contribution.
4. Even if a political committee has not received any contribution in excess of two hundred dollars during the reporting period, the political committee shall file a statement as required by this chapter.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1456.

House Vote: Yeas 96 Nays 0 Absent 2

Senate Vote: Yeas 49 Nays 0 Absent 0

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2001.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2001.

Governor

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at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State