



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 124

File No. 312

Cal. No. 407

**"AN ACT CONCERNING NONDISCLOSURE OF CERTAIN VOTER  
REGISTRATION INFORMATION."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) (a) Notwithstanding the  
4 provisions of section 7-192a of the general statutes, the city of New  
5 Haven may, by ordinance, establish (1) a voluntary two-year pilot  
6 program for the public financing of campaigns of candidates for  
7 election to the offices of chief executive officer of the municipality,  
8 municipal clerk, and member of the legislative body of the  
9 municipality, who agree to limit campaign fund-raising and  
10 expenditures, and (2) a commission to administer and enforce such  
11 program. The municipality shall pay the costs of administering and  
12 enforcing such program. Any such ordinance shall be subject to the  
13 provisions of chapter 150 of the general statutes and shall not contain

14 provisions that are less restrictive than the provisions of said chapter  
15 150. A candidate for any such office who decides not to participate in  
16 such program shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 150. Any  
17 such public financing shall not be deemed to be public funds for the  
18 purposes of subsection (d) of section 9-333l of the general statutes, as  
19 amended.

20 (b) If the city of New Haven establishes a pilot program under  
21 subsection (a) of this section, said city shall submit a report on the  
22 program to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly  
23 having cognizance of matters relating to elections, not later than  
24 January 1, 2007."