



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 82

LCO No. 191

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING ORGANIZATION EXPENDITURES RECEIVED BY PARTICIPATING LEGISLATIVE CANDIDATES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That section 9-702 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes be
2 amended to limit organization expenditures from party committees,
3 legislative caucus committees or legislative leadership committees for
4 the benefit of the candidate committee of a participating candidate
5 under the Citizens' Election Program for the office of state senator to
6 not more than five thousand dollars and for the benefit of the
7 candidate committee of a participating candidate for the office of state
8 representative to not more than two thousand five hundred dollars.
9 Additionally, in the event that a participating candidate for the office
10 of state senator or the office of state representative receives
11 organization expenditures, the candidate committee of each opposing
12 participating candidate shall receive a matching grant in the amount of
13 such organization expenditures from the Citizen's Election Fund.

Statement of Purpose:

To limit the amount of organization expenditures that a legislative candidate may receive.