



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 604

LCO No. 1804

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:
SEN. MCLACHLAN, 24th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE REDUCTION OF CERTAIN GENERAL ELECTION GRANTS UNDER THE CITIZENS' ELECTION PROGRAM.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that whenever a
- 2 participating candidate in the Citizens' Election Program faces a
- 3 primary opponent who does not qualify for funding from the program,
- 4 such participating candidate's general election grant shall be reduced
- 5 by the amount of such primary grant.

Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit the inherent funding advantage to candidates facing nonqualifying primary candidates.