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**Amendment**

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING "ROBO" CALLS."**

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

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2009*) No participating  
4 candidate, as described in subsection (b) of section 9-703 of the general  
5 statutes, who receives any grant funds from the Citizens' Election  
6 Fund shall use an automatic dialing-announcing device, as defined in  
7 section 1 of this act, for the purpose of placing a call or playing a  
8 message that contains content that is intended to promote the defeat of  
9 any candidate. Any participating candidate that violates the  
10 prohibition of this section shall be held jointly and severally liable,  
11 with the campaign treasurer for such candidate, for the full cost of any  
12 such call or message."