



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5523

February Session, 2018



**AN ACT CONCERNING DEPOSITS OF CONTRIBUTIONS IN
CANDIDATE COMMITTEES' DEPOSITORY ACCOUNTS.**

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 9-606 of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
3 *passage*):

4 (a) (1) The treasurer of each committee shall be responsible for [(1)]
5 (A) depositing, receiving and reporting all contributions and other
6 funds in the manner specified in section 9-608, [(2)] except as provided
7 in subdivision (2) of this subsection, (B) making and reporting
8 expenditures, [(3)] (C) reporting expenses incurred but not yet paid,
9 [(4)] (D) filing the statements required under section 9-608, and [(5)] (E)
10 keeping internal records of each entry made on such statements. [The]
11 Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, the treasurer
12 of each committee shall deposit contributions in the committee's
13 designated depository not later than twenty days after receiving them.
14 The treasurer of each political committee or party committee [which]
15 that makes a contribution of goods to another committee shall send
16 written notice to the treasurer of the recipient committee before the
17 close of the reporting period during which the contribution was made.
18 The notice shall be signed by the treasurer of the committee making
19 the contribution and shall include the full name of such committee, the

20 date on which the contribution was made, a complete description of
21 the contribution and the value of the contribution. Any dispute
22 concerning the information contained in such notice shall be resolved
23 by the treasurer of the recipient committee. Such resolution shall not
24 impair in any way the authority of the State Elections Enforcement
25 Commission under section 9-7b. The treasurer of the recipient
26 committee shall preserve each such notice received for the period
27 prescribed by subsection (f) of section 9-607.

28 (2) The candidate by whom a candidate committee has been
29 designated, or for whom a candidate committee has been established,
30 may deposit contributions in the candidate committee's designated
31 depository, provided such candidate does so not later than twenty
32 days after receiving such contributions.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	9-606(a)

Statement of Legislative Commissioners:

In Subsec. (a)(1), "which" was changed to "[which] that" for proper grammar and in Subsec. (a)(2), the language was changed for consistency with the definition of "candidate committee" in Section 9-601(4) of the general statutes and with other provisions of the bill.

GAE *Joint Favorable Subst. -LCO*