A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FUNDRAISERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to prohibit
- 2 legislators from fundraising during regular sessions of the
- 3 legislature.
- 4 SECTION 2. Section 11-342, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 5 amended to read as follows:
- 6 "[+]§11-342[] Fundraiser; notice of intent.] <u>Fundraisers.</u>
- 7 (a) No fundraiser for which the price or suggested contribution
- 8 for attending the function is more than \$25 per person shall be
- 9 held unless a notice of intent to hold the fundraiser is filed
- 10 with the commission setting forth the name and address of the
- 11 person in charge, the price per person, the date, hour, and
- 12 place of the fundraiser, and the method thereof.
- (b) [The] For fundraisers subject to subsection (a), the
- 14 person in charge of the fundraiser shall file the notice with
- 15 the commission prior to the fundraiser.

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- 1 (c) No fundraiser shall be held during the regular session
- 2 of the legislature by any candidate for public office who also
- 3 holds a seat in the state legislature.
- 4 [(c)] (d) As used in this section, "fundraiser" means any
- 5 function held for the benefit of a candidate, candidate
- 6 committee, or noncandidate committee that is intended or
- 7 designed, directly or indirectly, to raise contributions [for
- 8 which the price or suggested contribution for attending the
- 9 function is more than \$25 per person]."
- 10 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 11 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 12 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

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INTRODUCED BY:



S.B. NO. 244

Report Title:

Elections; Fundraisers; Legislators; Campaign

Description:

Prohibits legislators from holding fundraisers during the regular legislative session.

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