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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

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RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.

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

1       SECTION 1. Section 11-334, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3       "(a) The candidate and treasurer of the candidate  
4 committee of each candidate whose name will appear on the ballot  
5 in the immediately succeeding election shall file preliminary,  
6 final, and supplemental reports.

7       (1) The filing dates for preliminary reports are:

8           (A) Thirty calendar days prior to a primary election;

9           (B) Ten calendar days prior to a primary, each  
10           special, or each nonpartisan election; and

11           (C) Ten calendar days prior to a general election;  
12           provided that this preliminary report does not  
13           need to be filed by a candidate who is  
14           unsuccessful in a primary, special, or  
15           nonpartisan election, or a candidate who is  
16           elected to office in the primary, initial  
17           special, or initial nonpartisan election.



1 The preliminary report filed by the date required  
2 under subparagraph (A) shall be current through  
3 June 30, and all other preliminary reports shall be  
4 current through the fifth calendar day before the  
5 filing deadline of those other preliminary reports.

6 (2) The filing date for the final primary report is twenty  
7 calendar days after a primary, initial special, or  
8 initial nonpartisan election. The report shall be  
9 current through the day of the applicable election.

10 (3) The filing date for the final election period report  
11 is thirty calendar days after a general, subsequent,  
12 subsequent special, or subsequent nonpartisan  
13 election. The report shall be current through the day  
14 of the applicable election. The final election period  
15 report shall be filed by a candidate who is  
16 unsuccessful in a primary, initial special, or initial  
17 nonpartisan election or a candidate who is elected to  
18 office in the primary, initial special, or initial  
19 nonpartisan election.

20 (4) The filing dates for supplemental reports are:

21 (A) January 31 [~~after an election year~~]; and



1 (B) July 31 after an election year.

2 The report shall be current through December 31 for  
3 the report filed on January 31 and current through  
4 June 30 for the report filed on July 31."

5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

  
By Request



# S.B. NO. 452

**Report Title:**

Campaign Spending Reports; Campaign Spending Commission Package

**Description:**

Requires that supplemental campaign spending reports be filed annually on January 31.

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