

HOUSE BILL NO. 195

INTRODUCED BY KILPATRICK, GERVAIS, WHALEN, DAVIS, LARSON,
SOUTHWORTH, KIMBERLEY, STICKNEY, RUSSELL

IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 15, 1991	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.
JANUARY 16, 1991	FIRST READING.
JANUARY 25, 1991	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.
JANUARY 26, 1991	PRINTING REPORT.
JANUARY 29, 1991	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
JANUARY 30, 1991	ENGROSSING REPORT.
JANUARY 31, 1991	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 58; NOES, 39.
	TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

FEBRUARY 1, 1991	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.
	FIRST READING.
FEBRUARY 8, 1991	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
FEBRUARY 9, 1991	SECOND READING, NOT CONCURRED IN. AYES, 23; NOES, 24.
	ON MOTION, INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.
FEBRUARY 11, 1991	ON MOTION, PREVIOUS ACTION RECONSIDERED.
FEBRUARY 12, 1991	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.
FEBRUARY 13, 1991	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 31; NOES, 19.

RETURNED TO HOUSE WITH AMENDMENTS.

IN THE HOUSE

APRIL 8, 1991

RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SECOND READING, AMENDMENTS
CONCURRED IN.

APRIL 9, 1991

THIRD READING, AMENDMENTS
CONCURRED IN.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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 2 INTRODUCED BY Mattie Gunn Whalen
 3 Doris Salmon Southwick Remberley
 4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REQUIRING CERTAIN
 5 ELECTION MATERIALS TO INCLUDE A CANDIDATE'S PARTY
 6 AFFILIATION; AND AMENDING SECTION 13-35-225, MCA."

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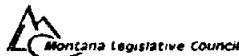
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 13 of a candidate, political party, or ballot issue through any
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 15 advertising facility, direct mailing, poster, handbill,
 16 bumper sticker, or other form of general political
 17 advertising, such the communication shall must clearly and
 18 conspicuously state the name and address of the printer, if
 19 printed commercially, and the name and address of the person
 20 who made or financed the expenditure for the communication,
 21 including, in the case of a political committee, the name
 22 and address of the treasurer. Communications in a partisan
 23 election financed by a candidate or a political committee
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 8 inadvertently omitted or not printed, upon discovering the
 9 omission, the person financing the communication shall file
 10 notification of the omission with the commissioner within 5
 11 days and make every reasonable effort to bring the material
 12 into compliance with subsection (1)."

-End-



APPROVED BY COMMITTEE
ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

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INTRODUCED BY *Representative Whalen*

James Sabon Southworth Kimberley

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(2) If any a document or other article of advertising is too small for the requirements of subsection (1) to be conveniently included, the person financing the communication shall file a copy of the article with the commissioner, together with the required information, prior to its public distribution.

(3) If information required in subsection (1) is inadvertently omitted or not printed, upon discovering the omission, the person financing the communication shall file notification of the omission with the commissioner within 5 days and make every reasonable effort to bring the material into compliance with subsection (1)."

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SECOND READING

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 3 Dave Salmon Southworth Kemberley
 4 Fuller
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THIRD READING

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SENATE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AMENDMENT

February 12, 1991 12:17 pm

Mr. Chairman: I move to amend House Bill No. 195 (third reading copy -- blue) as follows:

1. Page 1, line 25.

Strike: ". "

Insert: "or include the party symbol."

ADOPT

REJECT

Signed:

Chet Blaylock
Senator Blaylock

Jan 2-12-91
And Coord.

Sec. of Senate

SENATE

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REFERENCE BILL

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AS AMENDED

