

House Bill 64

In The House

January 6, 1981

Introduced and referred  
to Committee on State  
Administration.

January 12, 1981

Committee recommend bill  
do not pass.

1                                 HOUSE         BILL NO. 64  
 2 INTRODUCED BY         MUDALLY

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 4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION  
 5 13-37-205, MCA, REGULATING DISBURSAL OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS AND  
 6 REQUIRING REPORTING OF DISPOSITION OF UNUSED CAMPAIGN  
 7 FUNDS."

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 9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

10         Section 1. Section 13-37-205, MCA, is amended to read:

11         "13-37-205. Campaign depositories. ~~(1)~~ Except as  
 12 provided in 13-37-206, each candidate and each political  
 13 committee shall designate one primary campaign depository  
 14 for the purpose of depositing all contributions received and  
 15 disbursing all expenditures made by the candidate or  
 16 political committee. The candidate or political committee  
 17 may also designate one secondary depository in each county  
 18 in which an election is held and in which the candidate or  
 19 committee participates. Deputy campaign treasurers may  
 20 make deposits in and expenditures from secondary  
 21 depositories when authorized to do so as provided in  
 22 13-37-202(2). Only a bank authorized to transact business in  
 23 Montana may be designated as a campaign depository. The  
 24 candidate or political committee shall file the name and  
 25 address of each primary and secondary depository so

1 designated at the same time and with the same officer with  
 2 whom the candidate or committee files the name of his or its  
 3 campaign treasurer pursuant to 13-37-201. Nothing in this  
 4 section shall prevent a political committee or candidate  
 5 from having more than one campaign account in the same  
 6 depository, but a candidate may not utilize his regular or  
 7 personal account in the depository as a campaign account.

8         ~~(2) No candidate may use his campaign depository or  
 9 funds deposited therein for any purpose other than for the  
 10 campaign expenses of his own candidacy, except that funds  
 11 left over after all elections in a campaign may be used for  
 12 any lawful purpose so long as their disposition is  
 13 reported."~~

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