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LEGISLATIVE BILL 32

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to political accountability and disclosure; to
- 2 amend section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to
- 3 change provisions related to disclaimers; and to repeal the original
- 4 section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- **Section 1.** Section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
- 2 is amended to read:
- 3 49-1474.01 (1) The person, except an individual or individuals
- 4 acting independently utilizing their own personal resources, who pays for
- 5 the production, distribution, or posting of a billboard, placard, poster,
- 6 pamphlet, or other printed matter relating to a candidate or ballot
- 7 question shall cause a disclaimer containing the name and street address
- 8 or post office box number of the person to appear on such matter. The
- 9 person who pays for a radio or television advertisement relating to a
- 10 candidate or ballot question shall cause a disclaimer containing the name
- 11 of such person to be included in the advertisement, and the radio or
- 12 television station shall, for a period of at least six months, keep the
- 13 street address or post office box number of such person on file and
- 14 divulge it to any person upon request.
- 15 (2) The size and placement of the disclaimer shall be determined by
- 16 rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the commission. The
- 17 rules and regulations shall exempt from the disclaimer required by this
- 18 section windshield stickers, yard signs, bumper stickers, campaign
- 19 buttons, and balloons and may also exempt other items relating to a
- 20 candidate or committee which are printed or reproduced at the request of
- 21 such candidate or committee.
- 22 (3) Any person who knowingly violates the provisions of this section
- 23 shall be guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor.
- 24 Sec. 2. Original section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 25 Nebraska, is repealed.