

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House Floor: WD/2R 4/23/2008 3:53 PM

Senator Siplin moved the following amendment to amendment (712834):

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 36-90

and insert:

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individual who uses his or her personal resources of no more than \$500 and acts independent of any candidate or committee.

(4) Any person who fails to include the disclaimer prescribed in subsection (2) in any political advertisement that is required to contain such disclaimer commits a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

Section 37. Effective upon becoming a law and retroactive to January 1, 2006, subsection (1) of section 106.143, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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106.143 Political advertisements circulated prior to election; requirements. --

- (1)(a) Any political advertisement that is paid for by a candidate and that is published, displayed, or circulated prior to, or on the day of, any election must prominently state: "Political advertisement paid for and approved by (name of candidate) , (party affiliation) , for (office sought) ."
- (b) Any other political advertisement published, displayed, or circulated prior to, or on the day of, any election must prominently:
- 1. Be marked "paid political advertisement" or with the abbreviation "pd. pol. adv."
- 2. State the name and address of the persons sponsoring the advertisement.
- 3.a.(I) State whether the advertisement and the cost of production is paid for or provided in kind by or at the expense of the entity publishing, displaying, broadcasting, or circulating the political advertisement; or
- (II) State who provided or paid for the advertisement and cost of production, if different from the source of sponsorship.
- b. This subparagraph does not apply if the source of the sponsorship is patently clear from the content or format of the political advertisement.
- (c) Any political advertisement made pursuant to s. 106.021(3)(d) must be marked "paid political advertisement" or with the abbreviation "pd. pol. adv." and must prominently state, "Paid for and sponsored by (name of person paying for political advertisement) . Approved by (names of persons, party affiliation, and offices sought in the political advertisement)



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This subsection does not apply to campaign messages used by a candidate and the candidate's supporters if those messages are designed to be worn by a person. This subsection does not apply to an individual who uses his or her personal resources of no more than \$500 and acts independent of any candidate or committee.

Section 38. Effective upon becoming a law and retroactive to January 1, 2006, section 106.1439, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

106.1439 Electioneering communications; disclaimers.--

- (1) Any electioneering communication shall prominently state: "Paid electioneering communication paid for by (Name and address of person paying for the communication) ."
- (2) Subsection (1) does not apply to an individual who uses his or her personal resources of no more than \$500 and acts independent of any

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======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========= And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 104

and insert:

providing an exemption for an individual who uses up to a specified amount of his or