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Brief Description: Regulating campaign contributions and spending.

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(SEE ALSO PROPOSED 2ND SUB)

Requires a candidate to sign and file a statement of rejection or acceptance of the voluntary expenditure limits established by the act.

Limits contributions to state officials against whom recall charges have been filed.

Establishes initial expenditure limits for state offices.

Provides for a revision of the limits by January 1, 1996, and every two years thereafter.

Provides civil penalties for a failure to comply with expenditure limits.