

1 HB164
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3 By Representative Hill
4 RFD: Constitution, Campaigns and Elections
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1 second filing of the person's statement of economic interests
2 if a current statement of economic interests is on file with
3 the commission.

4 "(b) Each election official who receives a
5 declaration of candidacy or petition to appear on the ballot
6 for election from a candidate, within five days of the
7 receipt, shall notify the commission of the name of the
8 candidate, as defined in this chapter, and the date on which
9 the person became a candidate. The commission, within five
10 business days of receipt of the notification, shall notify the
11 election official whether the candidate has complied with this
12 section.

13 "(c) Other provisions of the law notwithstanding, if
14 a candidate does not submit a statement of economic interests
15 or when applicable, an amended statement of economic interests
16 in accordance with the requirements of this chapter, the name
17 of the person shall not appear on the ballot and the candidate
18 shall be deemed not qualified as a candidate in that election.
19 Notwithstanding the foregoing, the commission, for good cause
20 shown, may allow the candidate an additional five days to file
21 the statement of economic interests. If a candidate is deemed
22 not qualified, the appropriate election official shall remove
23 the name of the candidate from the ballot.

24 "(d) Candidates for municipal office in 2020 shall
25 file a completed statement of economic interests for the
26 previous calendar year with the State Ethics Commission
27 simultaneously with the on the same date the candidate files

1 his or her qualifying papers with the appropriate election
2 official. Beginning on January 1, 2021, candidates for
3 municipal office shall file a completed statement of economic
4 interests as provided in subsection (a)."

5 Section 2. This act shall become effective
6 immediately following its passage and approval by the
7 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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Yeas 96, Nays 0, Abstains 2

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