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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1969

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 1969 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing
5 Section 9-9.5 as follows:

6 (10 ILCS 5/9-9.5)

7 Sec. 9-9.5. Disclosures in political communications.

8 (a) Any political committee, organized under the Election
9 Code, that makes an expenditure for a pamphlet, circular,
10 handbill, Internet or telephone communication, radio,
11 television, or print advertisement, or other communication
12 directed at voters and mentioning the name of a candidate in
13 the next upcoming election shall ensure that the name of the
14 political committee paying for any part of the communication,
15 including, but not limited to, its preparation and
16 distribution, is identified clearly within the communication
17 as the payor. This subsection ~~Section~~ does not apply to items
18 that are too small to contain the required disclosure. Nothing
19 in this subsection ~~Section~~ shall require disclosure on any
20 telephone communication using random sampling or other
21 scientific survey methods to gauge public opinion for or
22 against any candidate or question of public policy.

23 Whenever any vendor or other person provides any of the
24 services listed in this subsection ~~Section~~, other than any

1 telephone communication using random sampling or other
2 scientific survey methods to gauge public opinion for or
3 against any candidate or question of public policy, the vendor
4 or person shall keep and maintain records showing the name and
5 address of the person who purchased or requested the services
6 and the amount paid for the services. The records required by
7 this subsection ~~Section~~ shall be kept for a period of one year
8 after the date upon which payment was received for the
9 services.

10 (b) Any political committee, organized under this Code,
11 that makes an expenditure for a pamphlet, circular, handbill,
12 Internet or telephone communication, radio, television, or
13 print advertisement, or other communication directed at voters
14 and (i) mentioning the name of a candidate in the next upcoming
15 election, without that candidate's permission, and (ii)
16 advocating for or against a public policy position shall ensure
17 that the name of the political committee paying for any part of
18 the communication, including, but not limited to, its
19 preparation and distribution, is identified clearly within the
20 communication. This subsection applies only when the
21 expenditure is made by or through a political committee of a
22 legislative political caucus organized for the purpose of
23 supporting candidates of that political party or opposing
24 candidates of another political party for the office of State
25 Senator or State Representative in the General Assembly.
26 Nothing in this subsection shall require disclosure on any
27 telephone communication using random sampling or other
28 scientific survey methods to gauge public opinion for or
29 against any candidate or question of public policy.

30 (c) A political committee organized under this Code shall
31 not make an expenditure for any unsolicited telephone call to
32 the line of a residential telephone customer in this State
33 using any method to block or otherwise circumvent that
34 customer's use of a caller identification service.

1 (Source: P.A. 93-615, eff. 11-19-03; 93-847, eff. 7-30-04;
2 94-645, eff. 8-22-05.)

3 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
4 becoming law.".