

## SENATE BILL No. 98

By Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government

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1 AN ACT concerning elections; relating to local government candidates;  
2 amending K.S.A. 25-904 and repealing the existing section.

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4 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

5 Section 1. K.S.A. 25-904 is hereby amended to read as follows: 25-  
6 904. (a) Every candidate for election to any city of the second and third  
7 class, unified school district, community college or township office subject  
8 to this act who intends to expend or have expended on such person's behalf  
9 an aggregate amount or value of less than ~~\$500~~ \$1,000, exclusive of such  
10 candidate's filing fee, and who intends to receive or have received on such  
11 person's behalf contributions in an aggregate amount or value of less than  
12 ~~\$500~~ \$1,000 in each the primary and the general election shall file, not  
13 later than the ninth day preceding the primary election, an affidavit of such  
14 intent with the county election officer of the county of residence of the  
15 candidate. No report required by subsection (b) shall be required to be  
16 filed by or for such candidate.

17 (b) Except as provided in subsection (a), it shall be the duty of every  
18 candidate for nomination or for election to any city of the second and third  
19 class, unified school district, community college or township office subject  
20 to this act, within 30 days after each primary, general or special election, to  
21 file with the county election officer an itemized statement under oath  
22 stating the name and address of each person who has made any  
23 contribution in excess of \$50 during the election period together with the  
24 amount and date of such contributions and an itemized statement of all  
25 expenditures made by such candidate or obligations contracted or incurred  
26 by such candidate in connection with each primary, general or special  
27 election.

28 (c) No candidate which is subject to the provisions of the campaign  
29 finance act (~~K.S.A. 25-4142 et seq., and amendments thereto~~) shall be  
30 required to file any report required by this section.

31 (d) Any candidate who has signed an affidavit pursuant to subsection  
32 (a) and who incurs expenses in excess of or receives contributions in  
33 excess of ~~\$500~~ \$1,000, exclusive of such candidate's filing fee for either  
34 the primary or the general election, shall file the report required by  
35 subsection (b).

36 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 25-904 is hereby repealed.

1       Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
2       publication in the statute book.