

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend and reenact § 24.2-946 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the Campaign Finance*  
3 *Disclosure Act; materials to be provided by State Board of Elections and Attorney General.*

4 [H 125]

5 Approved

6 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**7 **1. That § 24.2-946 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:**

8 § 24.2-946. Summary of election laws; forms; instructions.

9 A. The State Board shall summarize the provisions of the election laws relating to the Campaign  
10 Finance Disclosure Act of 2006 and provide for distribution of this summary and prescribed forms to  
11 each candidate, person, or committee on request or upon their first filing with the State Board pursuant  
12 to this chapter, whichever occurs first.

13 B. The Board shall designate the forms required for complying with this chapter which shall be the  
14 only such forms used in complying with the provisions of this chapter.

15 C. The Board shall provide, with the summary required by this section, instructions for persons filing  
16 reports pursuant to this chapter to assist them in completing the reports. The instructions shall include  
17 directions for the reporting of filing fees for any party nomination method.

18 D. The Board shall provide instructions for candidates who seek election for successive terms in the  
19 same office for the filing of reports within each appropriate election cycle for the office and for the  
20 aggregation of contributions within each election cycle.

21 E. The Board shall provide, with the summary required by this section, to each candidate, person, or  
22 committee on request or upon their first filing with the State Board pursuant to this chapter, whichever  
23 occurs first, a copy of a written explanation prepared by the Attorney General of the provisions of the  
24 Act that prohibit the personal use of campaign funds. The explanation shall cover the provisions that  
25 prohibit the personal use of campaign funds and shall delineate the differences between prohibited  
26 personal uses of campaign funds and permitted uses of the funds.

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