

**ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB1018**

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**Hearing Date:** Friday February 27, 2026  
**Committee On:** Government, Military and Veterans Affairs  
**Introducer:** Raybould  
**One Liner:** Change provisions relating to prohibited expenditures by committees under the Nebraska Political Accountability and Disclosure Act

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

Advanced to General File

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**Vote Results:**

**Aye:** 8 Senators Sanders, Andersen, Cavanaugh, J., Guereca, Hunt, Lonowski, Meyer, F., Wordekemper  
**Nay:**  
**Absent:**  
**Present Not Voting:**

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**Testimony:**

**Proponents:**

Senator Jane Raybould  
Gavin Geis

**Representing:**

Opening Presenter  
Common Cause

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

Scott Danigole

**Representing:**

Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission (NADC)

\* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

This bill would revise Neb. Rev. Stat. § 49-1662.02 to make two additions relating to restrictions on political committee expenditures. First, it would provide that a ballot question committee shall not expend funds for the purpose of assisting or opposing candidates for elective office. Second, it would forbid candidate committees from expending funds or providing other enumerated resources to ballot question committees.

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Rita Sanders, Chairperson

