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LEGISLATIVE BILL 32

Introduced by Hunt, 8. Read first time January 09, 2025 Committee:

- A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to political accountability and disclosure; to
 amend section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to
 change provisions related to disclaimers; and to repeal the original
 section.
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Section 1. Section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
 is amended to read:

3 49-1474.01 (1) The person, except an individual or individuals 4 acting independently utilizing their own personal resources, who pays for 5 the production, distribution, or posting of a billboard, placard, poster, pamphlet, or other printed matter relating to a candidate or ballot 6 7 question shall cause a disclaimer containing the name and street address or post office box number of the person to appear on such matter. The 8 9 person who pays for a radio or television advertisement relating to a candidate or ballot question shall cause a disclaimer containing the name 10 of such person to be included in the advertisement, and the radio or 11 television station shall, for a period of at least six months, keep the 12 street address or post office box number of such person on file and 13 divulge it to any person upon request. 14

(2) The size and placement of the disclaimer shall be determined by rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the commission. The rules and regulations shall exempt from the disclaimer required by this section windshield stickers, yard signs, bumper stickers, campaign buttons, and balloons and may also exempt other items relating to a candidate or committee which are printed or reproduced at the request of such candidate or committee.

(3) Any person who knowingly violates the provisions of this sectionshall be guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor.

Sec. 2. Original section 49-1474.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
 Nebraska, is repealed.

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