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CERTIFICATE

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I, Kevin J. Kennedy, Executive Director of the State Elections Board and custodian of the official records of the agency, do hereby certify that the annexed rule, ElBd 1.85 relating to conduit registration and reporting requirements, was duly amended by this board on April 17, 1996.

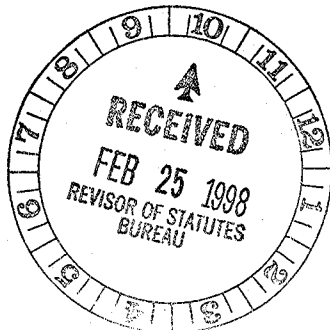
I further certify that this copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this board and that the same is a true copy thereof and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the State Elections Board at 132 East Wilson Street, in the City of Madison, on February 20, 1998.



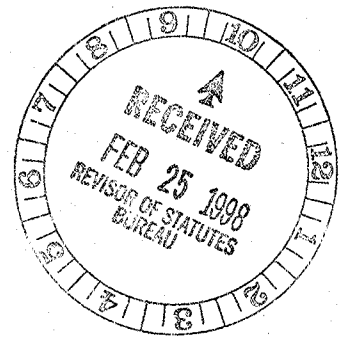
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ORDER
OF
STATE ELECTIONS BOARD



To amend EIBd 1.85(1) and (4) relating to conduit registration and reporting requirements.

ANALYSIS:

Statutory authority: ss.5.05(1)(f) and 227.11(2)(a)

Statutes interpreted: ss.11.01(5m), 11.02, 11.05(9)(b), 11.06(11), 11.12(5), 11.20, 11.24(1m), 11.26(12m), and 11.50(2)(b)5.

The rule governs conduit registration and reporting requirements. The amendment to sub.(1) requires conduits to register no later than the date of the initial transfer of a contribution by the conduit, or within 5 days of receiving a contribution, whichever event occurs first. The amendment to sub.(4) increases, from \$50 to \$100, the amount of the cumulative contributions that generate a requirement to report a transferee's occupation and principal place of employment; and adds the further requirement that the contributor's name and address, and the name and address of the contributor's principal place of business, must also be provided.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Elections Board by ss.5.05(1)(f) and 227.11(2)(a), Stats., the Elections Board hereby amends Rule EIBd 1.85 interpreting ss.11.01(5m), 11.02, 11.05(9)(b), 11.06(11), 11.12(5), 11.20, 11.24(1m), 11.26(12m), and 11.50(2)(b)5. as follows:

SECTION 1. EIBd. 1.85 is amended to read:

ELBD. 1.85 Conduit registration and reporting requirements

(1) A conduit, as defined in s.11.01(5m), Stats., is required to register no later than the date of the initial transfer of a contribution to a candidate, personal campaign committee, legislative campaign committee, or political party committee, or within five days of the receipt of a contribution from a conduit member, whichever event occurs first.

(4) A conduit shall report to the transferee the full name and address, the occupation, and the name and address of the principal place of employment, if any, of the contributor if the contributor's cumulative contributions exceed \$100 for the calendar year.

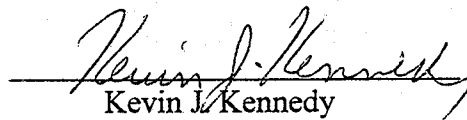
INITIAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS:

The creation of this rule does not affect business.

FISCAL ESTIMATE:

The creation of this rule does not affect business.

The creation of this rule takes effect on the first day of the month following its publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Register pursuant to s.227.22(2), Stats.


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