

AMENDMENT #1

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE

TO: CSSH 36(JUD)

By Stoltze
by Request

1 Page 2, line 6:

2 Insert a new bill section to read:

3 "* **Sec. 3.** AS 15.13.050 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (c) If a group intends to make contributions or expenditures only in support of
5 or opposition to a single initiative on the ballot, the title or common name of the
6 initiative must be a part of the name of the group. If the group intends to make
7 contributions or expenditures only in opposition to a single initiative on the ballot, the
8 group's name must clearly state that it opposes that initiative by using a word such as
9 "opposes," "opposing," "in opposition to," or "against" in the group's name."

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11 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

AMENDMENT #2

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE

TO: CSSSHB 36(JUD)

By Stoltze
by Request

1 Page 1, line 1, following "initiatives":

2 Insert "and those who file or organize in order to file them"

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4 Page 4, following line 30:

5 Insert a new bill section to read:

6 "* Sec. 8. AS 15.13.400(8) is amended to read:

7 (8) "group" means

8 (A) every state and regional executive committee of a political
9 party; [AND]

10 (B) any combination of two or more individuals acting jointly
11 who organize for the principal purpose of influencing the outcome of one or
12 more elections and who take action the major purpose of which is to influence
13 the outcome of an election; a group that makes expenditures or receives
14 contributions with the authorization or consent, express or implied, or under
15 the control, direct or indirect, of a candidate shall be considered to be
16 controlled by that candidate; a group whose major purpose is to further the
17 nomination, election, or candidacy of only one individual, or intends to expend
18 more than 50 percent of its money on a single candidate, shall be considered to
19 be controlled by that candidate and its actions done with the candidate's
20 knowledge and consent unless, within 10 days from the date the candidate
21 learns of the existence of the group the candidate files with the commission, on
22 a form provided by the commission, an affidavit that the group is operating
23 without the candidate's control; a group organized for more than one year

1 preceding an election and endorsing candidates for more than one office or
2 more than one political party is presumed not to be controlled by a candidate;
3 however, a group that contributes more than 50 percent of its money to or on
4 behalf of one candidate shall be considered to support only one candidate for
5 purposes of AS 15.13.070, whether or not control of the group has been
6 disclaimed by the candidate; and

7 (C) any combination of two or more individuals acting
8 jointly who organize for the principal purpose of filing an initiative
9 proposal application under AS 15.45.020 or who file an initiative proposal
10 application under AS 15.45.020;"

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12 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

AMENDMENT #3

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE

TO: CSSSHB 36(JUD)

By Stoltz
by Request

1 Page 1, line 1:

2 Delete "**and to ballot initiatives**"

3 Insert "**, to ballot initiatives and referenda, to issues placed on the ballot to**
4 **determine whether a constitutional convention shall be called, a debt shall be contracted,**
5 **an advisory question shall be approved or rejected, or a municipality shall be**
6 **incorporated, and to constitutional amendments submitted to the public for a vote**"

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8 Page 2, line 9, following "15.13.060":

9 Insert "**15.13.074(b),**"

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11 Page 7, line 13, following "APPLICABILITY":

12 Insert "(a)"

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14 Page 7, following line 15:

15 Insert a new subsection to read:

16 "(b) This Act applies only to a ballot proposition, as that term is defined in
17 AS 15.13.065(c), but excluding an initiative covered under (a) of this section, placed on the
18 ballot after the first statewide election on or after the effective date of this Act."