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- » On the last day of the calendar month in which the petition is filed with the Secretary of State.
- » On the last day of each month after the month in which the petition is filed with the Secretary of State.
- » On the 30th day after the deadline for filing the signed petitions with the Secretary of State.

If the issue is placed on the ballot for a vote at an election, the committee must also file Election Campaign Statements in connection with the election in which the issue is voted upon. Election Campaign Statements must be filed with the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission according to the following schedule:

- » On or before the 30th day prior to the election in which the issue is voted upon.
- » On or before the 10th day prior to the election in which the issue is voted upon.
- » On or before the 70th day following the election in which the issue is voted upon.

## **B. Campaign Advertising Requirements**

Printed materials having reference to the ballot issue must contain the name and street address of the person or committee paying for the matter. If the person paying for the matter acts at the direction of, or receives reimbursement from, a ballot question committee, the committee is considered the "person" paying for the matter. Television and radio advertisements must also include the name of the person or committee who paid for the ads, but such person's or committee's street address need not be included in the ad if the station running the ad will agree to keep the person's or committee's name and street address on file and available to the public for 6 months after the advertisement is run.

One or more persons using their own personal resources who do not raise or spend more than the \$5,000 threshold requiring formation of a committee are exempt from the requirement to identify advertising pertaining to the ballot issue.

For reporting forms and further information, contact the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission, 11th Floor, State Capitol Building, P. O. Box 95086, Lincoln, NE 68509 or call (402) 471-2522, Web site: <http://nadc.nol.org>.



