

SENATE BILL NO. 549

April 28, 1999, Introduced by Senators SIKKEMA, BULLARD,
MC MANUS, NORTH, SCHUETTE, JOHNSON, GAST and EMMONS
and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled
"Michigan campaign finance act,"
by amending section 46 (MCL 169.246).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 46. ~~At the beginning of every odd numbered year~~
2 BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2000, the secretary of state shall
3 ~~recommend adjustments to and which shall be approved by the leg-~~
4 ~~islature of~~ ANNUALLY ADJUST the dollar value contribution limits
5 provided in this act ~~, together with~~ AND the dollar value floor
6 for reporting ~~of~~ the name, address, occupation, and employer
7 ~~, or~~ principal place of business of persons who make contribu-
8 tions pursuant to this ~~chapter, on the basis of the United~~
9 ~~States department of commerce's consumer price index~~ ACT. THE
10 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL MAKE THE ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED BY THIS
11 SECTION BY FEBRUARY 1, WHICH ADJUSTMENT IS RETROACTIVE TO JANUARY

1 1 OF THAT YEAR. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL BASE THE ADJUSTMENT
2 UNDER THIS SECTION UPON THE PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN THE ALL ITEMS
3 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS IN THE MIDWEST
4 REGION AS MOST RECENTLY REPORTED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT
5 OF LABOR, BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS and the number of registered
6 voters in the state. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ROUND EACH
7 DOLLAR VALUE ADJUSTMENT MADE UNDER THIS SECTION UP TO THE NEAREST
8 \$5.00. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL PROMPTLY ANNOUNCE THE
9 ADJUSTMENTS MADE UNDER THIS SECTION IN THE MANNER DETERMINED BY
10 THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO BEST NOTIFY CANDIDATES, COMMITTEES, AND
11 THE GENERAL PUBLIC OF THE ADJUSTMENTS.