

Senate Bill 1502

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: The Act tells the SOS to file a bill for the 2027 session that sets forth ideas to implement campaign finance limits. The Act takes effect 91 days after sine die. (Flesch Readability Score: 71.0). Directs the Secretary of State to pre-session file a proposed legislative measure for consideration during the 2027 regular session of the Legislative Assembly that sets forth the recommendations of the secretary for changes to campaign finance limitations presently being implemented in this state. Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to proposed legislative measures to be filed by the Secretary of State; and prescribing an
3 effective date.

4 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

5 **SECTION 1. (1) The Secretary of State shall exercise the secretary's authority under**
6 **ORS 171.130 (2)(c) to pre-session file a proposed legislative measure for consideration during**
7 **the 2027 regular session of the Legislative Assembly.**

8 **(2) The measure that the Secretary of State pre-session files pursuant to subsection (1)**
9 **of this section shall set forth the recommendations of the secretary for changes to the sys-**
10 **tem of campaign finance limitations being implemented in this state and to reporting re-**
11 **quirements related to these limitations. The provisions of the measure shall reflect the**
12 **progress and experience in implementing chapter 9, Oregon Laws 2024.**

13 **SECTION 2.** If House Bill 4018 becomes law, section 1 of this 2026 Act is amended to read:

14 **Sec. 1.** (1) The Secretary of State shall exercise the secretary's authority under ORS 171.130
15 (2)(c) to pre-session file a proposed legislative measure for consideration during the 2027 regular
16 session of the Legislative Assembly.

17 (2) The measure that the Secretary of State pre-session files pursuant to subsection (1) of this
18 section shall set forth the recommendations of the secretary for changes to the system of campaign
19 finance limitations being implemented in this state and to reporting requirements related to these
20 limitations. The provisions of the measure shall reflect the progress and experience in implementing
21 chapter 9, Oregon Laws 2024, and chapter _____, Oregon Laws 2026 (Enrolled House Bill 4018).

22 **SECTION 3. This 2026 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2026**
23 **regular session of the Eighty-third Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.