

Montana Legislative Services Division

Legal Services Office

TO: State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee

FROM: K. Virginia Aldrich **DATE:** October 16, 2013

RE: Legislative Administrative Rule Review Report

Pursuant to 5-5-228, MCA, the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee is responsible for reviewing administrative rules within its jurisdiction. Staff for the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee has prepared this report for informational purposes only. This report does not represent any action or opinion of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee and does not preclude additional action that may be taken by the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee pursuant to its authority under the Montana Administrative Procedure Act (Title 2, chapter 4, MCA).

MAR NOTICE NUMBER: 44-2-194

AGENCY/BOARD: Commissioner of Political Practices

RULE CLASSIFICATION: (e.g. substantive/interpretative/emergency/temporary):

Substantive

SUBJECT: Limitations on Receipts from Political Committees

NOTICE DESCRIPTION: (e.g. proposal notice/adoption notice):

Notice of proposed amendment

SUMMARY OF RULE(S):

The Commissioner of Political Practices is proposing to amend one rule by updating the aggregate amounts legislative candidates are allowed to receive from political committees (other than political parties) during an election cycle. The Commissioner is required to adjust the limitation by using an inflation factor every odd-numbered year after June. In addition, the Commissioner deleted outdated statutory references.

NOTES: (e.g. hearing dates)

No public hearing is contemplated. The public comment period ends on November 14, 2013.

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