

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

SB 184

2023 Regular Session

Peacock

June 7, 2023

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 184 by Senator Peacock, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Ivey and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 30, 2023, be rejected

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:

Representatives:

Senator Barrow Peacock

Representative John M. Stefanski

Senator Sharon Hewitt

Representative Barry Ivey

Senator Edward J. "Ed" Price

Representative Daryl Andrew Deshotel

The legislative instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Matthew R. DeVille.

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Keyword and summary of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

CAMPAIGN FINANCE. Provides for repayment of personal contributions or loans. (8/1/23)

Report rejects House amendments which would have:

1. Subjected the amount of personal loans eligible to be repaid to a candidate from campaign contributions to the campaign contribution limits in effect when the debt was incurred.

Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

Present law provides that any loans made by a candidate to his own campaign may be repaid from campaign funds received in connection with an election in which the candidate qualified for a public office.

Proposed law provides that notwithstanding any other provision of law any loans made by a candidate to his own campaign may be repaid from any campaign contributions received.

Effective August 1, 2023.

(Amends R.S. 18:1505.2(T))