

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 281

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCELLE

CAMPAIGN FINANCE: Provides relative to the assessment of penalties for failure to timely file required reports

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1505.4(A)(1) and (2)(a)(ii) and (iii), relative to campaign
3 finance; to provide relative to the assessment of penalties; and to provide for related
4 matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 18:1505.4(A)(1) and (2)(a)(ii) and (iii) are hereby amended and
7 reenacted to read as follows:

8 §1505.4. Civil penalties; failure to file; timely and accurate filing; forfeiture

9 A.(1) Any candidate, the treasurer or chairman of a political committee, or
10 any other person required to file any reports under this Chapter, who knowingly fails
11 to file or who knowingly fails to timely file any such reports as are required by this
12 Chapter may be assessed a civil penalty as provided in R.S. 18:1511.4.1 for each day
13 after the notice sent pursuant to R.S. 42:1157 is received until such report is filed.

14 (2)(a) The amount of such penalty may be:

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16 (ii) Sixty dollars per day, not to exceed ~~two thousand~~ five hundred dollars,
17 for any candidate for district office and any treasurer or chairman of any political
18 committee designated as a principal campaign committee or subsidiary committee
19 of such a candidate.

