

Existing law (Campaign Finance Disclosure Act-R.S. 18:1532 - election day expenditure reports) requires each candidate, political committee, and person required to file reports pursuant to the campaign finance disclosure laws to file a report within 10 days after an election disclosing the total amount of expenditures made on election day, by category, including television, radio, and newspaper advertising, services by election day workers, and contributions or expenditures to organizations for election day activities or services, and certain other information about persons to whom the expenditures were made.

New law adds automated calls using a prerecorded or artificial voice as a category of expenditures on such reports.

Prior law only exempted a political committee, other than a candidate's committee, which had not made any election day expenditures from the requirement to file the election day expenditure report.

New law exempts all political committees, candidates, and other persons required to file reports pursuant to the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act that have no election day expenditures from the requirement to file the election day expenditure report.

Effective Jan. 1, 2015.

(Amends R.S. 18:1532(B); Adds R.S. 18:1532(A)(1)(f))