

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

2025 NEW REPORTING

Foreign Funding Restrictions of Ballot Measures

In 2025, the Missouri General Assembly passed Senate Bill 152, which Governor Kehoe subsequently signed into law. This legislation added §§ 130.170 through 130.188, RSMo, restricting the ability of certain committees to accept contributions from foreign nationals and other prohibited sources (as defined in the law). The new law also imposes new reporting requirements on entities and committees making expenditures supporting or opposing a ballot measure. This law will take effect August 28, 2025, and will be enforced by the Missouri Attorney General's office. Read the law in its entirety, Senate Bill 152.



Foreign Funding Restrictions of Ballot Measures Information Sheet

Committee Specific Reporting Requirements



For Candidate, Exploratory, Debt Service Committees and Exempt Candidates



For Continuing (PACs), Political Party, and Campaign Committees

Use of Committee Credit Cards and Other Allowable Electronic Payment Methods

In 2025, the Missouri General Assembly passed, and Governor Kehoe signed Senate Bill 98, which among other provisions, amended chapter 130.188, RSMo, to include provision relating to the use of committee credit cards and other allowable electronic payment methods. Read carefully to understand the impact this legislation will have on your committee. SB 98 will take effect on August 28, 2025. Read the law in its entirety, <u>Senate Bill 98</u>.

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