

or any subsequent report or statement is filed, annually on the anniversary of the GENERAL election until no cash balance, unpaid bill, or deficit remains; and

(8) (7) If a cash balance or outstanding debts or deficits were reflected on the last preceding report, but have all been eliminated by the date on which the next report is due, then a report clearly marked as "final" shall be filed on or before such date showing all transactions since the last report.

(9) (8) If a candidate does not intend to receive contributions or make expenditures of \$100 or more, exclusive of his filing fee, he and his treasurer may jointly execute an affidavit to that effect on a form prescribed by the State Administrative Board of Election Laws. If he does not in fact receive contributions or make expenditures of \$100 or more, no further reports need be filed pursuant to this section. The affidavit shall be filed not later than the date by which the first report is due. If at any time the cumulative contributions to or expenditures by a candidate who has filed such an affidavit equal or exceed \$100, he and his treasurer shall thereafter file all reports required by this section and failure to do so constitutes a failure to file and the commission of a misdemeanor subject to the penalties prescribed in § 26-20.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect ~~July 1, 1983~~ January 1, 1984.

Approved May 24, 1983.

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CHAPTER 405

(House Bill 150)

AN ACT concerning

Rights of Mentally Ill Individuals in Facilities

FOR the purpose of providing certain rights for individuals receiving services in certain facilities ~~of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene~~; requiring these facilities to institute certain procedures regarding the rights of mentally ill individuals within the facilities; ~~providing that the Secretary adopt rules and regulations regarding the rights of mentally ill individuals in facilities; providing that mentally ill individuals in a facility may refuse a mode or course of treatment except in certain circumstances; providing that mentally ill individuals in a facility shall be afforded certain rights with respect to asserting grievances~~; providing that an individual in a facility has a right to refuse to participate as a subject in certain