

13-316.

A campaign finance report required by § 13-304 of this subtitle shall be filed with [one or more boards, as follows:

(1) for a personal treasurer, with the board where the certificate of candidacy of the candidate is filed;

(2) for a continuing political committee, with the State Board; and

(3) for each political committee other than a continuing political committee, with:

(i) the State Board, if the political committee has supported or opposed a candidate whose certificate of candidacy is filed with the State Board;

(ii) the State Board, if the political committee has promoted the success or defeat of a political party or any question to be submitted to a vote at an election in all or part of more than one county;

(iii) the local board of a county, if the political committee has supported or opposed a candidate whose certificate of candidacy is filed with that board; and

(iv) the local board of a county, if the political committee has promoted the success or defeat of a question to be submitted to a vote at an election only in that county] THE STATE BOARD.

13-340.

[(a) All late filing fees shall be treated as a special fund and distributed as provided in this section.

(b) (1)] Fees relating to campaign finance reports [required to be filed with the State Board] shall be paid to the State Board and be applied to pay the expenses of collection and of any audits of campaign finance reports performed BY OR at the direction of the State Administrator.

[(2) At the end of each fiscal year, any balance shall be transferred to the General Fund of the State.

(c) Fees relating to campaign finance reports required to be filed only with a local board shall be paid to the local board for transfer to the county.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect January 1, 2007.

Enacted May 26, 2006.