Article 33 - Election Code Section 26-9(d) Annotated Code of Maryland (1993 Replacement Volume)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

26-9.

- (d) (1) Except as provided in subsections (e) and (e-1) of this section, it is unlawful for any individual, association, unincorporated association, corporation, or any other entity either directly or indirectly, to contribute any money or thing of value greater than \$4,000 to any candidate or political committee or to contribute money in excess of \$100 except by check in any 4-year election cycle. CONTRIBUTIONS MAY BE MADE BY CREDIT CARD, NOT TO EXCEED \$100 PER TRANSACTION, TO ANY CANDIDATE OR POLITICAL COMMITTEE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. Total contributions by a contributor under this subsection shall not exceed \$10,000 in any 4-year election cycle.
- (2) (i) The limitations set forth in paragraph (1) of this subsection and subsection (e)(1) of this section shall apply to each 4-year election cycle beginning on January 1 following the gubernatorial election and continuing until December 31 that is 4 years later.
- (ii) Without regard to when a contribution or transfer is expended or used, the contribution or transfer shall be charged against the limitation for the election cycle in which:
 - 1. The check is written or dated; or
 - 2. The cash or other thing of value is received.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1994.

Approved May 26, 1994.

CHAPTER 719

(Senate Bill 404)

AN ACT concerning

Real Estate Licensees - Agency Relationships - Disclosure

FOR the purpose of altering certain grounds for discipline of licensed real estate salespersons, associate real estate brokers, and real estate brokers in this State; altering certain definitions and certain terms; defining certain terms; requiring