

(C) (1) (I) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, BEGINNING WITH THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT THAT IS DUE IN NOVEMBER 1997, ALL CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS REQUIRED UNDER § 26-11 OF THIS ARTICLE WHICH MUST BE FILED WITH THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL MAY BE SUBMITTED TO AND MAINTAINED BY THE STATE BOARD IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT.

(II) BEGINNING WITH THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT THAT IS DUE IN NOVEMBER 1997, ALL CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS THAT ARE REQUIRED UNDER § 26-11 OF THIS ARTICLE WHICH MUST BE FILED WITH THE STATE BOARD BY A STATEWIDE CANDIDATE AND ANY POLITICAL COMMITTEE AFFILIATED WITH THE CANDIDATE SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO AND MAINTAINED BY THE STATE BOARD IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT.

(2) (I) THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL ACCEPT ANY CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT THAT IS SUBMITTED IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT WHICH MEETS THE CRITERIA SPECIFIED DEVELOPED BY THE STATE BOARD UNDER SUBSECTION (F) OF THIS SECTION.

(II) BEGINNING IN NOVEMBER 1997, THE STATE BOARD SHALL MAKE THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION THAT IS SUBMITTED IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC BY MAKING THE COMPUTER DISK SUBMITTED BY THE CANDIDATE OR COMMITTEE AVAILABLE FOR DUPLICATION.

(D) (1) BEGINNING WITH THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT DUE IN NOVEMBER 1999, ALL CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS REQUIRED UNDER § 26-11 OF THIS ARTICLE WHICH MUST BE FILED WITH THE STATE BOARD SHALL BE SUBMITTED AND MAINTAINED BY THE STATE BOARD IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT.

(3) (2) BEGINNING IN NOVEMBER 1999, UPON REQUEST, THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL:

(A) SUPPLY TO A PERSON WHO IS REQUIRED TO FILE REPORTS IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT THE COMPUTER SOFTWARE AND THE DISKS OR OTHER MEDIA ON WHICH THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION IS TO BE ENTERED; OR

(B) ON BEHALF OF THE PERSON REQUIRED TO FILE REPORTS IN AN ELECTRONIC STORAGE FORMAT, ENTER ON A DISK OR OTHER MEDIUM THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY THAT PERSON.

(4) THE STATE BOARD MAY REFUSE TO ACCEPT OR PROCESS ANY CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT OR CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION THAT IS INCOMPLETE OR NOT SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.

(5) (3) BEGINNING IN NOVEMBER 1999, THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL MAKE THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION