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S. 382

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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AMENDMENTS

Intended to be proposed by Mr. PROUTY (for himself and Mr. BAKER) to the amendment (numbered 308) proposed by Mr. PASTORE (for himself and others) to S. 382, a bill to promote fair practices in the conduct of election campaigns for Federal political offices, and for other purposes, viz:

1 On page 4, beginning with line 16, strike down through
2 line 7 on page 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

3 “(2) (A) No legally qualified candidate in any primary,
4 runoff, general, or special election for a Federal elective office
5 may spend for the use of broadcasting stations on behalf of
6 his candidacy in such election a total amount in excess of—

7 “(i) 5 cents multiplied by the estimate of resident
8 population of voting age for such office, as determined by

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1 the Bureau of Census in June of the year preceding the
2 year in which the election is to be held; or

3 “(ii) \$30,000, if greater than the amount deter-
4 mined under clause (i).

5 A legally qualified candidate for nomination for election to
6 the office of President may not spend a total amount for all
7 primary elections held for such office in which he is a
8 candidate in excess of the limitation provided by the first
9 sentence of this paragraph.

10 “(B) In addition to the amount which he may spend
11 under paragraph (2) (A) of this subsection for the use of
12 broadcast communications media in connection with his cam-
13 paign, a candidate for Federal office may spend for such use
14 any unspent portion of the amount he is authorized to spend
15 for the use of nonbroadcast communications media under
16 section 103 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971.”

17 On page 8, strike lines 6 through 21, and insert in lieu
18 thereof the following:

19 “(c) (1) No legally qualified candidate in any primary,
20 runoff, general, or special election for a Federal elective office
21 may spend for the use of nonbroadcast communications media
22 on behalf of his candidacy in such election a total amount in
23 excess of—

24 “(A) 5 cents multiplied by the estimate of resident
25 population of voting age for such office, as determined by

1 the Bureau of Census in June of the year preceding the
2 year in which the election is to be held; or

3 “(B) \$30,000, if greater than the amount deter-
4 mined under subparagraph (A).

5 A legally qualified candidate for nomination for election to
6 the office of President may not spend a total amount for all
7 primary elections held for such office in which he is a can-
8 didate in excess of the limitation provided by the first sen-
9 tence of this paragraph.

10 “(2) In addition to the amount which he may spend
11 under this subsection for the use of nonbroadcast communi-
12 cations media in connection with his campaign, a candidate
13 for Federal office may spend for such use any unspent por-
14 tion of the amount he is authorized to spend for the use of
15 broadcast communications media under section 315(c) of
16 the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 315(c)).”

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