

**LOCAL LAWS  
OF  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
FOR THE YEAR 1994**

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**No. 37**

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Introduced by Council Member Pinkett (By the request of the Mayor); also Council Member Fusco

**A LOCAL LAW**

**To amend the administrative code of the city of New York in relation to the filing of disclosure reports pursuant to the New York City campaign finance act**

*Be it enacted by the Council as follows:*

Section 1. Section 3-703 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new subdivision 12 to read as follows:

12. (a) *Any candidate for nomination for election, or election, to an office for which the threshold for eligibility established by subdivision two of this section is greater than five thousand dollars, or the authorized committee of such candidate, shall submit the disclosure reports required pursuant to this chapter in a contemporaneous manner, in accordance with the schedule specified by the state board of elections for the filing of campaign receipt and expenditure statements, in order for any contributions received during the periods covered by such reports and prior to the last date upon which such candidate may file a certification pursuant to paragraph c of subdivision one of this section to qualify as matchable contributions.*

(b) *The board may promulgate rules, applicable to candidates to whom paragraph (a) of this subdivision does not apply, to establish an optional program permitting disclosure reports to be submitted in a contemporaneous manner, in accordance with the schedule specified by the state board of elections for filing of campaign receipt and expenditure statements. Such rules shall not adversely affect in any manner the eligibility for optional public financing of any such candidate who does not participate in such program, or who terminates his or her participation in such program.*

§2. Notwithstanding any other provision of this local law, contributions that have been received by candidates before the effective date of this local law for covered elections to be held after such effective date, and that have not previously been duly reported to the campaign finance board, shall be reported on the first disclosure report required by the New York city campaign finance act, as amended by this local law, to be filed with the campaign finance board subsequent to such effective date.

§3. Rules adopted by the campaign finance board on May 12, 1994 that provide for the filing of contemporaneous semi-annual disclosure statements shall be deemed to have been of no force and effect from the time of their adoption, to the extent such rules are

inconsistent with the provisions of this local law. This local law shall not be construed to affect the validity, or to require the resubmission, of any disclosure statement submitted to such board prior to the effective date of this local law, or to modify any rule or obligation of contract in relation to the electronic submission of contemporaneous disclosure statements using software supplied by such board.

§4. This local law shall take effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, s.s.:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a local law of the City of New York, passed by the Council on August 4, 1994, and approved by the Mayor on August 17, 1994.

CARLOS CUEVAS, City Clerk, Clerk of the Council

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO MUNICIPAL HOME RULE LAW §27

Pursuant to the provisions of Municipal Home Rule Law §27, I hereby certify that the enclosed Local Law (Local Law 37 of 1994, Council Int. No. 408) contains the correct text and:

Received the following vote at the meeting of the New York City Council on August 4, 1994: 36 for, 9 against.

Was approved by the Mayor on August 17, 1994.

Was returned to the City Clerk on August 18, 1994.

JEFFREY D. FRIEDLANDER, Acting Corporation Counsel