

Amend CSHB 2511 as follows:

(1) On page 1, line 7, strike "(28)" and substitute "(29)".

(2) On page 5, line 1, after the period, insert "An electioneering communication does not include a voter guide distributed by an organization exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) or (4), Internal Revenue Code of 1986".

(3) On page 7, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

(29) "Voter guide" means a printed document distributed to the public:

(A) that consists of two or more candidates' positions presented in a neutral and unbiased manner on issues;

(B) that may include neutral and unbiased biographical information on each candidate, including the candidate's education, employment positions, offices held, and community involvement;

(C) in which all candidates seeking a seat or office or the nomination of a particular political party in a contested primary election or appearing on the general election ballot are provided an equal opportunity to include responses, except questions may be directed only to candidates who are seeking the nomination of a particular political party in a contested primary election or appearing on the general election ballot in the jurisdiction in which the voter guide is distributed;

(D) in which a candidate does not receive greater prominence or substantially more space for responses than other participating candidates;

(E) that does not contain or is not accompanied by material containing an electioneering message or editorial comments aimed at inducing voters in a particular way; and

(F) that does not score or rate or is not accompanied by material that scores or rates a candidate's response in a manner that conveys an electioneering message.