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H.B. No. 1957

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the treatment of political contributions by a person's  
3 spouse under the Judicial Campaign Fairness Act.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. The heading to Section 253.158, Election Code,  
6 is amended to read as follows:

7 Sec. 253.158. CONTRIBUTION BY [~~SPOUSE OR~~] CHILD CONSIDERED  
8 TO BE CONTRIBUTION BY INDIVIDUAL.

9 SECTION 2. Section 253.158(a), Election Code, is amended to  
10 read as follows:

11 (a) For purposes of Sections 253.155 and 253.157, a  
12 contribution by the [~~spouse or~~] child of an individual is  
13 considered to be a contribution by the individual.

14 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.