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campaign contributions, it was dishonesty in government, in which people were buying privileges and we have some believe in this area that this may happen in this state government and I set forth two area, computer number one and telecommunications number two. There's a lot of people don't like what they can smell. There's no firm evidence but if there's any way to develop it, I presume it will be developed. Now let's look at the bill as it is. For the purposes of this section, expenditures are made on behalf of the candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor (and I might say I'm interested in this section) shall for general election be combined with the expenditures made on behalf of the candidate of the office of the Governor. Now that's really a charitable clause. You'd be dead before you ever got started. Then we go for example in page number 3 in the general election. A candidate covered by a provision of this act may not expend for advertising materials and services a sum in excess of two times the annual salary of the office for which he seeks election. Then it says for example in line 14, a primary election called to nominate a candidate for subsequent election to office, no such candidate covered by this act shall expend for advertising materials and services a sum in excess of one half of that sum which the candidate is authorized by this act to expend in the general election.

(End of Belt #16)