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Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. McDONOUGH, McLAUGHLIN, RIVERA, THIELE  
-- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to establishing the crime of  
failure to file campaign statements, a class A misdemeanor

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-  
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "campaign  
2     finance reporting accountability act".  
3     S 2. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 190.90 to read  
4     as follows:  
5     S 190.90 FAILURE TO FILE CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS.  
6     ANY PERSON, REQUIRED TO FILE A STATEMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE FOURTEEN  
7     OF THE ELECTION LAW, WHO KNOWINGLY, ON THREE OR MORE OCCASIONS, FAILS TO  
8     FILE SUCH A STATEMENT WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF THE DATE SUCH STATEMENT IS  
9     DUE, SHALL BE GUILTY OF FAILURE TO FILE CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS.  
10    FAILURE TO FILE CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS IS A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR.  
11    S 3. This act shall take effect on the first of November next succeed-  
12    ing the date on which it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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