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LD 207

I support LD 207 “An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Qualifying Contributions of Cash Under the Maine Clean Election Act.”

As I understand it, this bill eliminates the requirement that contributors making qualifying contributions in the form of cash to a participating candidate in the Maine Clean Election Act sign a form affirming that the contributor made the contribution with personal funds.

This is common sense legislation. It’s \$5.00, not thousands. I’ve collected many Qualifying Contributions (QCs) for candidates. The additional “cash” form is cumbersome, invariably is sometimes missed, and seems unnecessary for a \$5.00 QC. A payment by check does not require this form.

Again, I support LD 207 “An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Qualifying Contributions of Cash Under the Maine Clean Election Act”, and it “ought to pass.”