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H 1662. DISCLOSURE OF CONTRIBUTOR. Filed 4/18/07. TO RESTORE THE LAW ON DISCLOSING THE IDENTITY OF POLITICAL CONTRIBUTORS; AND TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE PILOT PROGRAM CONCERNING INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING.

Amends GS 163-278.11(a1) to raise the threshold for reporting the identity of a contributor to a political campaign covered by that statute from \$50 to \$100 for each election cycle. Amends SL 2006-192, which established a pilot program to use "instant runoff" voting, to allow school boards to be among the local government units using that method of voting, in addition to cities or counties. Requires report on the pilot to both the 2007 and 2009 legislative sessions. The change in reporting donors is effective January 1, 2008, for donations made on or after that date.

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