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- 1 AN ACT concerning campaign contributions.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- 3 represented in the General Assembly:
- 4 Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing
- 5 Section 9-25 and by adding Section 9-25.5 as follows:
- 6 (10 ILCS 5/9-25) (from Ch. 46, par. 9-25)
- 7 Sec. 9-25. Anonymous contributions and contributions in
- 8 the name of another person prohibited.
- 9 (a) No person shall make an anonymous contribution or a
- 10 contribution in the name of another person, and no person
- 11 shall knowingly accept any anonymous contribution or
- 12 contribution made by one person in the name of another
- 13 person.
- 14 (b) Anonymous contributions and contributions in the
- 15 <u>name of another person</u> shall escheat to the State of
- 16 Illinois. Any political committee that receives such a
- 17 contribution shall forward it immediately to the State
- 18 Treasurer.
- 19 <u>(c) Any person who knowingly makes an anonymous</u>
- 20 <u>contribution or a contribution in the name of another person</u>
- 21 <u>is quilty of a Class A misdemeanor and may be fined an amount</u>
- 22 <u>no greater than 3 times the amount of the prohibited</u>
- 23 <u>contribution</u>.
- 24 (d) For the purposes of this Section, "contribution in
- 25 <u>the name of another person" means a contribution in which (i)</u>
- 26 the source of the contribution and (ii) the person or entity
- 27 <u>causing the contribution to be made are not reported under</u>
- this Article.
- 29 (Source: P.A. 78-1183.)
- 30 (10 ILCS 5/9-25.5 new)

1 Sec. 9-25.5. Contributions from foreign nationals 2 prohibited. No candidate or political committee may solicit, accept, or receive, directly or indirectly, a contribution 3 4 made by a foreign national. For the purposes of this Section, "foreign national" means (i) a government of a foreign 5 6 country and a foreign political party; (ii) a person outside of the United States, unless it established that the person 7 is an individual and a citizen of and domiciled within the 8 9 United States, or that the person is not an individual and is organized under or created by the laws of the United States 10 11 or of any State or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and has its principal place of business 12 within the United States; (iii) a partnership, association, 13 corporation, organization, or other combination of persons 14 organized under the laws of or having its principal place of 15 16 business in a foreign country; and (iv) an individual who is not a citizen of the United States and who is not lawfully 17 admitted for permanent residence, as defined in Section 18 19 1101(a)(20) of Title 8 of the United States Code. The term "foreign national" does not include any individual who is a 20 citizen of the United States. 21

22 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 23 becoming law.