

ACTS, 1983. - Chaps. 287, 288.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 5 of chapter 55 of the General Laws, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 151 of the acts of 1975, is hereby amended by inserting after the third paragraph the following paragraph:-

Whenever a statement of organization of a political committee is filed on behalf of a candidate who became a candidate after the deadline for filing nomination papers, the director shall at the time of the filing notify the candidate or his representative of the requirements of clause (a) of section five of chapter two hundred and sixty-eight B and he shall also forward the name and address of such candidate to the state ethics commission within three days after the filing of a political committee with his office.

Approved July 13, 1983.

Chap. 287. AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE TERMINATION OF THE SERVICES OF CERTAIN WELFARE VENDORS CONVICTED OF FRAUD.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 118E of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 18, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 800 of the acts of 1969, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

Section 18. Participation in the program shall be limited to providers of services who have not been convicted of larceny or fraud or any other crime in connection with such services, or the billing therefor and who:

- (1) indicate their intention to the department to so participate;
- (2) present evidence, satisfactory to the department, of their qualifications to provide such services;
- (3) agree to accept, as payment in full, the amounts paid in accordance with the fee schedules provided for under this chapter; and
- (4) agree to comply with all laws, rules and regulations governing the operation of the program.

Approved July 13, 1983.

Chap. 288. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REPORTING OF CERTAIN CASES OF CHILD ABUSE.