

SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
EIGHTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

S.F. No. 2413

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03/13/2012	4364	Introduction and first reading Referred to Local Government and Elections

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to campaign finance; clarifying that certain contributions do not violate
1.3 fair campaign practices; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 211B.15, by
1.4 adding a subdivision.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 211B.15, is amended by adding a
1.7 subdivision to read:

1.8 Subd. 18. **Federal fund exemption.** It is not a violation of this section for a separate
1.9 segregated fund or a nonconnected committee registered with the Federal Elections
1.10 Commission under the Federal Elections Campaign Act to make a contribution to a
1.11 political fund or political committee registered with the Campaign Finance and Public
1.12 Disclosure Board under chapter 10A provided however that a nonconnected committee or
1.13 a segregated fund that has elected to limit its expenditures to independent expenditures
1.14 shall be limited to contributing to a registered Minnesota independent expenditure political
1.15 committee, as defined in section 10A.01, subdivision 18a, or a Minnesota independent
1.16 expenditure political fund, as defined in section 10A.01, subdivision 18b.