

CHAPTER 210A

FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

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210A.01 DEFINITIONS.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M.S.1982]

Subd. 3. **Candidate.** "Candidate" means any individual for whom it is contemplated or desired that votes may be cast at any primary or election, and who either tacitly or expressly consents to be so considered, except candidates for president and vice president of the United States. In sections 210A.22 to 210A.28, 210A.32 and 210A.33, "candidate" does not mean an individual for whom it is contemplated or desired that votes may be cast at any primary or election, and who either tacitly or expressly consents to be considered for constitutional office, member of the legislature, justice of the supreme court, court of appeals, or district court, county court, probate court, or county municipal court judge.

[For text of subs 4 to 9, see M.S.1982]

History: 1983 c 247 s 92

210A.39 DISQUALIFIED CANDIDATE NOT TO HOLD POSITION.

A candidate elected to an office, and whose election to that office has been annulled and set aside for any offense mentioned in sections 210A.01 to 210A.44, may not, during the period fixed by law as the term of that office, be appointed to fill any vacancy which may occur in that office. A candidate or other person who is convicted of any offense mentioned in sections 210A.01 to 210A.44, may not, during the period fixed by law as the term of the office with respect to which the election was held and the offense was committed, be appointed to fill any vacancy in that office. Any appointment to an office made in violation of or contrary to the provisions of this section is void.

A candidate or other person who is convicted of any offense mentioned in sections 210A.01 to 210A.44 is not, during the period fixed by law as the term of the office with respect to which the election was held and the offense was committed, qualified to fill a vacancy in any office for which the legislature may establish qualifications under article XII, section 3, of the Minnesota Constitution.

History: 1983 c 253 s 25