REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with the provisions of **§ 24.2-948.1** of the *Code of Virginia*, I the undersigned candidate, hereby declare that in connection with my campaign during the _____ election, that **I**:

(insert election year)

- have not and do not intend to solicit or accept any contribution from any other person during the course of this campaign;

- have not and do not intend to contribute more than $1,000.00 of my own personal funds to my own campaign;

- have not and do not intend to expend more than $1000.00 during this campaign;

- have complied and will continue to comply with the requirements of the *Campaign Finance Disclosure Act* throughout the duration of this campaign; and

- have opened a separate depository to maintain my election funds.

Additionally, I declare that, **before** I engage in any of the activities that would cause this exemption null and void, I will file a *Rescind Request for Exemption* form with the Electoral Board of my city or county of residence **and** at that time, will begin filing campaign finance reports which will be due for the report required immediately following the transaction which caused me to rescind this exemption.

I also understand that I am required to file a final report which will detail my campaign's financial activity prior to taking office or as soon as possible following the election.

I further understand that failure to comply with the facts detailed above, would constitute a violation of the *Campaign Finance Disclosure Act* and that I would be subject to the penalties set forth in Article 8 of Title 24.2 of the Code of Virginia. I further understand that providing false information on this form may be punishable up to a Class 5 felony under the provisions of § 24.2-1016.

_____
SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE

_____
NAME OF CANDIDATE'S CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

_____
PRINTED NAME OF CANDIDATE

_____
OFFICE SOUGHT AND DISTRICT (IF APPLICABLE)

_____
DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER

_____
DATE

IMPORTANT

This form must be filed with the General Registrar of the candidate's county or city of residence. It must be received not later than the date on which the first report is due.

This exemption applies to the filing requirements for all reports except Large Pre-Election Contributions.