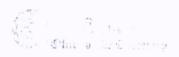
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COMMITTEE REPORT NO492
Prepared and submitted by the Committee on Electoral Reforms and People's Participation on OCT - 9 2018
Re: Senate Bill No. 2064
Recommending its approval in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 100 and 1893.
Sponsor: Senator Pimentel III

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Electoral Reforms and People's Participation, to which were referred **Senate Bill No. 100**, introduced by Senator Gordon, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 13 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9369

and Senate Bill No. 1893, introduced by Senator De Lima, entitled:

AN ACT
REDEFINING THE PROHIBITED ACT
OF PREMATURE CAMPAIGNING,
ACCORDINGLY AMENDING SECTIONS 79, 80,
AND 81 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 881,
OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE
"OMNIBUS ELECTION CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

has considered the same and has the honor to report them back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached **Senate Bill No.** 2064, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 15 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8436, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9369

be approved in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 100 and 1893 with Senators Gordon, De Lima, and Pimentel III as authors thereof.

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AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 15 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 936	
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the assembled:	Philippines in Congress
SECTION 1. Section 15 of Republic Act No. 8436, as	amended by R.A. No.
9369, is hereby further amended to read as follows:	
SECTION 15. Official Ballot. – xxxx.	
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For this purpose, the Commission shall set the diffiling of certificate of candidacy/petition for registration to participate in the election. A person [who CONSIDERED A CANDIDATE AT THE MOMENT Similar [his] A certificate of candidacy within [this period considered as a candidate at the start of the campaign phe filed his certificate of candidacy] THE PERIOD PTHE COMMISSION; Provided, That, unlawful acts	n/manifestation SHALL BE UCH PERSON shall only be eriod for which ROVIDED BY

applicable to a candidate shall take effect [only] upon [the start of the aforesaid campaign period] **THE FILING OF THE CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY**; *Provided, finally,* That any person holding a public appointive office or position, including active members of the armed forces, and officers and employees in government-owned or -controlled corporations, shall be considered *ipso facto* resigned from [his/her] office and must vacate the same at the start of the day [of the filing of his/her] **SUCH PERSON FILED A** certificate of candidacy.

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section 2. Repealing Clause. - All laws, decrees, orders, and issuances, or portions thereof, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 3. Effectivity. - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,