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## DIGEST AND PURPOSE

Under current law, district judges are not required to file campaign reports electronically with the Ethics Commission. As proposed, S.B. 124 requires district judges (those who otherwise satisfy the requirements to file electronically) to file such campaign reports electronically.

## **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

## SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 254.036(g), Election Code, to authorize a person required to file a report with the Texas Ethics Commission in connection with the office of district attorney rather than the office of district judge, or judge of a multicounty statutory county court, to file reports that comply with Subsection (a).

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 2001.