

2.1 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 10A.09, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

2.2 Subdivision 1. **Time for filing.** Except for a candidate for elective office in the
2.3 judicial branch, an individual must file a statement of economic interest with the board:

2.4 (1) within 60 days of accepting employment as a public official ~~or~~, a local official in
2.5 a metropolitan governmental unit, a city council member in any city with a population
2.6 greater than 100,000, or a county commissioner in a county with a population greater than
2.7 100,000, if the commissioner is not subject to chapter 383B;

2.8 (2) within 14 days after filing an affidavit of candidacy or petition to appear on the
2.9 ballot for an elective state office or an elective local office in a metropolitan governmental
2.10 unit;

2.11 (3) in the case of a public official requiring the advice and consent of the senate,
2.12 within 14 days after undertaking the duties of office; or

2.13 (4) in the case of members of the Minnesota Racing Commission, the director
2.14 of the Minnesota Racing Commission, chief of security, medical officer, inspector of
2.15 pari-mutuels, and stewards employed or approved by the commission or persons who
2.16 fulfill those duties under contract, within 60 days of accepting or assuming duties.

2.17 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 10A.257, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

2.18 Subdivision 1. **Unused funds.** (a) After all campaign expenditures and noncampaign
2.19 disbursements for an election cycle have been made, an amount up to 50 percent of the
2.20 election year expenditure limit for the office may be carried forward. Any remaining
2.21 amount up to the total amount of the public subsidy from the state elections campaign
2.22 fund must be returned to the state treasury for credit to the general fund under section
2.23 10A.324. Any remaining amount in excess of the total public subsidy must be contributed
2.24 to the state elections campaign fund or a political party for multicandidate expenditures as
2.25 defined in section 10A.275.

2.26 (b) Candidates for city council or county commissioner who are subject to this
2.27 chapter as described in section 10A.01, subdivision 10, paragraph (b), may carry forward
2.28 an amount not exceeding \$10,000 after all campaign expenditures and noncampaign
2.29 disbursements for an election cycle are made. Any remaining amount in excess of
2.30 \$10,000 must be contributed to the general revenue fund of the city or county in which the
2.31 candidate sought office.