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SECRETARY OF STATE ISSUES REMINDER FOR UPCOMING CAMPAIGN FINANCE DEADLINE

(Pierre, S.D.) – Secretary of State Monae L. Johnson would like to remind candidates and elected officials about an important campaign finance deadline that is quickly approaching.

All statewide candidate committees, statewide political action committees, statewide political parties, statewide ballot question committees, and legislative committees must file a Pre-Primary Disclosure Report detailing all transactions from their last report through May 13, 2026. The deadline to file the Pre-Primary Report is May 18, 2026. Reports should be submitted through the online [Campaign Finance Reporting System](https://sdsos.gov/elections-voting/campaign-finance/reporting-system). More information about the Pre-Primary Disclosure Report and other campaign finance reports may be found on the Secretary of State's website at <https://sdsos.gov/elections-voting/campaign-finance/important-dates.aspx>.

Secretary Johnson would like to emphasize the importance of filing these important reports in a timely manner, since individuals who fail to do so may incur a financial penalty. More information about campaign finance in may be found on the Secretary of State's website at <https://sdsos.gov/elections-voting/campaign-finance/default.aspx>.