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Alaska	voluntary	AS 15.13	http://www.state.ak.us/local/akpages/ADMIN/apoc/statute1.htm	web filing available; software also exists. A.S. 15.13 refers to making campaign finance reports available to the public, but doesn't explicitly indicate making them available electronically	yes	AS 15.13	http://www.state.ak.us/local/akpages/ADMIN/apoc/statute1.htm	Most, but not all data is published on web(privacy considerations)
Arizona	mandatory	16-958(e)	http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ars/16/958.htm	software; reports can be uploaded to agency or a disk can be sent	yes- voluntarily done by agency	none	none	Board voluntarily chose to publish data on web
California	mandatory	SB658	http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/sen/sb_0651-0700/sb_658_bill_19990916_chaptered.html	software developed privately; detailed statute	mandatory	SB 658	http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/sen/sb_0651-0700/sb_658_bill_19990916_chaptered.html	very detailed statute
Connecticut	mandatory for certain candidates that raise > \$250,000; voluntary for the rest	Special Session, P.A. 97-5	http://www.cga.state.ct.us/ps97/act/pa/pa%2D0005%2Djn2.htm	software developed by state, data can be entered via web interface	mandatory	Special Session, P.A. 97-5	http://www.cga.state.ct.us/ps97/act/pa/pa%2D0005%2Djn2.htm	data is mandated to be made available via the web and on public terminals
Florida	required by rule, not law	none	http://election.dos.state.fl.us/laws/index.shtml#rules	reports to be submitted on magnetic disk; no change in filing date	yes	none	none	Board voluntarily chose to publish data on web
Hawaii	mandatory for certain offices and if committee raised > \$5,000	sec. 11-195(f)	http://www.hawaii.gov/campaign/Guide/Law/law.htm#\$11-195	software	yes	none	none	web publishing is not required by law, Hawaii chose to use the Internet to publish campaign finance information.
Illinois	mandatory*	10 ILCS 5/9-28/	http://www.legis.state.il.us/ilcs/ch10/ch10act5articles/ch10act5Sub12.htm	software	yes	10 ILCS 5/9-1	http://www.legis.state.il.us/ilcs/ch10/ch10act5articles/ch10act5Sub12.htm	
Iowa	voluntary	none	none	software	yes	none	none	
Kentucky	voluntary	none	none	software is developed by private company. Reports may be submitted via diskette, but hard copy must also be sent.	yes	none	none	Electronic(.pdf) documents (not a database) are available on their website
Louisiana	mandatory for certain candidates	R.S. 18 sec. 1485	none	Software has been available since January	mandatory	R.S. 42 sec. 1158	none	Can retrieve data as text or spreadsheet

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Maryland	mandatory	Article 33, Section 13-402 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.	http://mlis.state.md.us/cgi-win/web_statutes.exe	software; currently submitted on diskette; agency required to accept e-filing by 11/2000	not yet	Article 33, Section 13-402 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.	http://mlis.state.md.us/cgi-win/web_statutes.exe	not yet implemented; anticipate posting limited info on web by 11/99, full info by 11/2000
Massachusetts	mandatory starting 1/1/2002, with exceptions	M.G.L. c. 55A	MA Clean Elections Law was approved by the voters: http://www.state.ma.us/ocpf/cl_elec.htm	software yet to be developed	yes/anticipated	M.G.L. c. 55A	http://www.state.ma.us/ocpf/cl_elec.htm	currently one can download entire database; web disclosure anticipated but not yet implemented
Minnesota	voluntary	none	none	software developed but not yet widely used	not yet	none	none	Agency anticipates pilot project by mid-2000
New Jersey	voluntary	none	Gov. announces \$1M for e-filing and web publishing system: http://www.state.nj.us/budget99/init.html#10	1999 is first year of pilot project; must report same info as with paper filing	yes	none	Gov. announces \$1M for e-filing and web publishing system: http://www.state.nj.us/budget99/init.html#10	Reports available on web (requires extra software)
New York	mandatory if committee raised > \$1000	Article II Of State Constitution; section 14-104, paragraph 2	http://www.elections.state.ny.us/law/elaw1998.pdf (pp.297-298)	file by diskette; hope to have filing by email	yes	Article II Of State Constitution; section 3-102, subd. 9a	http://www.elections.state.ny.us/law/elaw1998.pdf (pp.36-37)	All data is on the web, detailed down to individual contributors
North Carolina	mandatory for certain offices and committees	163-278.9(j)	http://www.sboe.state.nc.us/cro/art22a.htm	software still in development	yes	none	none	N.C. does not yet have an interactive database; you can download data files about specific years, committees and offices.
Vermont	no	none	none	Agency is designing database but has no mandate for e-filing	yes	V.S.A. § 2810	http://www.leg.state.vt.us/statutes/title17/chap059.htm#02810	project still being implemented; reports to be available on web or in database
Virginia	mandatory*	24.2-914.1	http://leg1.state.va.us/cgi-bin/legp504.exe?000+cod+24.2-914.1	software, minimal (\$25) charge	yes	24.2-914.1	http://leg1.state.va.us/cgi-bin/legp504.exe?000+cod+24.2-914.1	data can be requested in diskette form as well as on the web
Texas	voluntary	Title 15, Texas Elections Code	http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/statutes/t15.htm	Filer determines manner of electronic transfer; a digital signature is also required	yes	Title 15, Texas Elections Code	http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/statutes/t15.htm	Statute specifies that the reports shall be made public on the Internet but does not specify format. They have decided to make a database
* indicates that exceptions exist								

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