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Please consider this to be a supplement to my remarks at your July 24 hearing.

In commenting on the “earmark” definition in statute, C.R.S. 1-45-103 (7.5), I addressed the existing statutory definition which references independent expenditures. I have reviewed the text of HB 1318 and am aware that the statutory “earmark” definition will include electioneering communications after the bill becomes effective next month. Thus, there is no need for the Secretary to address this definition in her rules or, as I suggested, include a reference to electioneering communications by adopting an “earmark” related rule.

Thank you for the opportunity to correct my statement from the rule making hearing held on Wednesday.

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Subject: Notice of Rulemaking: Campaign and Political Finance Rules – 7/24/2019 Hearing

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached Notice of Rulemaking for the Colorado Campaign and Political Finance Rules (8 CCR 1505-6). The hearing is scheduled for July 24, 2019. This notice includes a proposed statement of basis/purpose and draft proposed rules.

The following information is also available online at the Secretary of State’s website:

- Rules and Notices of Rulemaking: https://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/rule_making/rules.html
- Information relating to 7/24/2019 rulemaking hearing:

https://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/rule_making/hearings/2019/CPFRulesHearing20190724.html

You may submit written comments regarding the proposed draft rules at any time prior to and during the hearing. Also, if you are available, we encourage you to attend the rulemaking hearing for an open discussion of the proposed rules. If you are interested in the proposed rules but are unable to attend the rulemaking hearing, you may listen to the live broadcast online by visiting https://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/info_center/audioBroadcasts.html. A recording of the hearing will be posted and available online as well.

Please email SoS.Rulemaking@sos.state.co.us if you have any questions or would like to submit written comments.

Thank you.