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## **Elections Code § 13114 – Compiled November, 2010**

Our review of the annotated history of this statute reveals the following legislative history (every “c.” below represents a separate legislative bill):

Prior History: former Elections Code section 10217.7  
Added: 1978, c. 1317  
Amended: 1987, c. 348

Current: Added 1994, c. 920

Our review indicated that former Elections Code section 10217.7 was, in fact, enacted in 1978. The 1987 bill added the last paragraph:

A city council resolution which provides for rotation of candidates’ names pursuant to this section for any election which is consolidated with any county or state election shall also provide for the payment of computer programming, formatting, preparation, and all similar related administrative costs associated with development of the ballot on which those names appear.

According to the annotations, the 1994 recodification did not make any substantive changes.

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