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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 10, relative to deceased incumbent's campaign account.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-114, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (d):

(d) In addition the manner in which unexpended balances in the campaign account of a candidate may be allocated under the provisions of subsection (a), if an incumbent dies while in office and has an unexpended balance in a campaign fund, and if such incumbent's spouse is appointed to fill the unexpired term of the deceased incumbent or is elected to the office previously held by the deceased, then the balance remaining in the campaign account of such deceased incumbent shall be transferred to the campaign account of the surviving spouse for use by the surviving spouse as a candidate for election to public office in accordance with the provisions of this part.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

