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"(c) Manner and Time of Designation.—A designation under subsection (a) may be made with respect to any taxable year, in such manner as the Secretary or his delegate may prescribe by regulations-

"(1) at the time of filing the return of the tax imposed by

chapter 1 for such taxable year, or

"(2) at any other time (after the time of filing the return of the tax imposed by chapter 1 for such taxable year) specified in regulations prescribed by the Secretary or his delegate."

(b) The table of parts for subchapter A of chapter 61 of such Code is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new item:

> "Part VIII. Designation of income tax payments to Presidential Election Campaign Fund."

(c) The amendments made by this section shall apply with respect to income tax liability for taxable years beginning after December 31, 1966.

SEC. 303. PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN FUND.

(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is hereby established on the books of the Treasury of the United States a special fund to be known as the "Presidential Election Campaign Fund" (hereafter in this section referred to as the "Fund"). The Fund shall consist of amounts transferred to it as provided in this section.

(b) Transfers to the Fund.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall, from time to time, transfer to the Fund an amount equal to the sum of the amounts designated by individuals under section 6096 of the

Internal Revenue Code of 1954 for payment into the Fund.

(c) Payments From Fund.-

(1) In GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall, with respect to each presidential campaign, pay out of the Fund, as authorized by appropriation Acts, into the treasury of each political party which has complied with the provisions of paragraph (3) an amount (subject to the limitation in paragraph (3)(B)) determined under paragraph (2).

(2) DETERMINATION OF AMOUNTS.-

(A) Each political party whose candidate for President at the preceding presidential election received 15,000,000 or more popular votes as the candidate of such political party shall be entitled to payments under paragraph (1) with respect to a presidential campaign equal to the excess over \$5,000,000 of-

(i) \$1 multiplied by the total number of popular votes cast in the preceding presidential election for candidates of political parties whose candidates received 15,000,000 or more popular votes as the candidates of

such political parties, divided by

(ii) the number of political parties whose candidates in the preceding presidential election received 15,000,000 or more popular votes as the candidates of such political

parties.

(B) Each political party whose candidate for President at the preceding presidential election received more than 5,000,000, but less than 15,000,000, popular votes as the candidate of such political party shall be entitled to payments under paragraph (1) with respect to a presidential campaign equal to \$1 multiplied by the number of popular votes in excess of 5,000,000 received by such candidate as the

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