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EU Parliamentary elections 2013 and 2014
- Act on the Financing of Political Activities and Election Campaigns - the Old Act
- 2011 - 2019

EU Parliamentary elections 2019
- Act on the Financing of Political Activities, Election Campaign and Referendums - the New Act
- March 2019 →
Separate account for election campaign purposes

- Own funds
- Donations

Separate account
Election campaign costs

The Old Act
- 1.500.000,00 kuna (approx. 200.000 Euro)

The New Act
- 4.000.000,00 kuna (approx. 533.333 Euro)
Financial reporting

The Old Act

- Submitting reports by post or personally
- Publishing reports at the web page or daily press

The New Act

- Submitting reports through the Financial Control Information System
- Publishing reports at the web page of the State Electoral Commission
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The Old Act
- Requiring other relevant authorities to provide information or take an action in order to collect all relevant financial documents

The New Act
- Requiring submission of relevant financial documents
- Analyzing financial reports/regulations/general acts
- Monitoring, collecting and inspecting accounting documents, financial records and financial statements
- Performing on-site supervision
Report on the supervision of election campaign financing

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- Report on supervision of election campaign financing → published on 2nd August 2019
- Administrative sanctions and notifications to the State Attorney’s Office for breaches of the New Act
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