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1   On page 14, after line 37, insert the following:

2   **"Sec. 4.** RCW 42.17A.345 and 2019 c 428 s 26 are each amended to
3   read as follows:
4   (1) Each commercial advertiser who has accepted or provided
5   political advertising or electioneering communications during the
6   election campaign shall maintain current books of account and related
7   materials as provided by rule that shall be open for public
8   inspection during normal business hours during the campaign and for a
9   period of no less than five years after the date of the applicable
10   election. The documents and books of account shall specify:
11   (a) The names and addresses of persons from whom it accepted
12   political advertising or electioneering communications;
13   (b) The exact nature and extent of the services rendered; and
14   (c) The total cost and the manner of payment for the services.
15   (2) At the request of the commission, each commercial advertiser
16   required to comply with subsection (1) of this section shall provide
17   to the commission copies of the information that must be maintained
18   and be open for public inspection pursuant to subsection (1) of this
19   section.
20   (3) A purchaser shall provide notice, in the form specified by
21   the commercial advertiser, when requesting to purchase political
22   advertising or electioneering communications covered by this
23   section."

24   Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any
25   internal references accordingly.

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26   On page 26, line 3, after "42.17A.105," insert "42.17A.345,"

<u>EFFECT:</u> Requires purchasers to notify commercial advertisers when purchasing political advertising or electioneering communications.

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