

By the Committee on Rules, Resolutions, & Ethics and  
Representatives Thrasher and Crady

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to regulation of lobbyists;  
3           amending s. 112.3215, F.S.; extending  
4           regulation of lobbying to lobbyists before the  
5           Constitution Revision Commission; providing an  
6           effective date.

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8   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10           Section 1. Paragraphs (a) and (d) of subsection (1)  
11           and subsection (2) of section 112.3215, Florida Statutes, 1996  
12           Supplement, are amended to read:

13                   112.3215 Lobbyists before the Executive Branch or the  
14           Constitution Revision Commission ~~Executive branch lobbyists;~~  
15           registration and reporting; investigation by commission.--

16                   (1) For the purposes of this section:

17                   (a) "Agency" means the Governor, Governor and Cabinet,  
18           or any department, division, bureau, board, commission, or  
19           authority of the executive branch. In addition, "agency" means  
20           the Constitution Revision Commission as provided by s. 2, Art.  
21           XI of the State Constitution.

22                   (d) "Lobbies" means seeking, on behalf of another  
23           person, to influence an agency with respect to a decision of  
24           the agency in the area of policy or procurement or an attempt  
25           to obtain the goodwill of an agency official or employee.

26           "Lobbies" also means influencing or attempting to influence,  
27           on behalf of another, the Constitution Revision Commission's  
28           action or nonaction through oral or written communication or  
29           an attempt to obtain the goodwill of a member or employee of  
30           the Constitution Revision Commission.

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