

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to exemption from legislative lobbying
 3 requirements; amending s. 11.045, F.S.; revising the
 4 term "expenditure"; specifying that the term does not
 5 include the use of a public facility or public
 6 property that is made available by one governmental
 7 entity to another governmental entity for a public
 8 purpose, to exempt such government-to-government use
 9 from legislative lobbying requirements; providing an
 10 effective date.

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

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 14 Section 1. Paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section
 15 11.045, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

16 11.045 Lobbying before the Legislature; registration and
 17 reporting; exemptions; penalties.—

18 (1) As used in this section, unless the context otherwise
 19 requires:

20 (c) "Expenditure" means a payment, distribution, loan,
 21 advance, reimbursement, deposit, or anything of value made by a
 22 lobbyist or principal for the purpose of lobbying. The term does
 23 not include:

24 1. Contributions or expenditures reported pursuant to
 25 chapter 106 or federal election law, campaign-related personal
 26 services provided without compensation by individuals
 27 volunteering their time, any other contribution or expenditure
 28 made by or to a political party or affiliated party committee,

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29 | or any other contribution or expenditure made by an organization
30 | that is exempt from taxation under 26 U.S.C. s. 527 or s.
31 | 501(c)(4).

32 | 2. A government-to-government use, which is the use of a
33 | public facility or public property that is made available by one
34 | governmental entity to another governmental entity for a public
35 | purpose, regardless of whether either is required to register
36 | any person as a lobbyist pursuant to this section.

37 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.