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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to financial disclosures; amending s.
3 112.3148, F.S.; requiring reporting individuals and
4 procurement employees to file annual reports listing
5 certain gifts with the Commission on Ethics instead of
6 with the required financial disclosure statement;
7 requiring such individuals and employees who have left
8 office or employment within a specified timeframe to
9 file the annual report with the commission instead of
10 at the same location as their financial disclosure
11 statement; amending s. 112.3149, F.S.; requiring
12 reporting individuals and procurement employees to
13 disclose the name, address, and affiliation of a
14 person providing specified honorarium expenses with
15 the commission instead of with the required financial
16 disclosure statement; requiring such individuals and
17 employees who have left office or employment within a
18 specified timeframe to file the annual statement with
19 the commission instead of at the same location as
20 their financial disclosure statement; providing an
21 effective date.

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

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25 Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (6) of section
26 112.3148, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

27 112.3148 Reporting and prohibited receipt of gifts by
28 individuals filing full or limited public disclosure of
29 financial interests and by procurement employees.—

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(6)

(d) No later than July 1 of each year, each reporting individual or procurement employee shall file a statement listing each gift having a value in excess of \$100 received by the reporting individual or procurement employee, either directly or indirectly, from a governmental entity or a direct-support organization specifically authorized by law to support a governmental entity. The statement shall list the name of the person providing the gift, a description of the gift, the date or dates on which the gift was given, and the value of the total gifts given during the calendar year for which the report is made. The reporting individual or procurement employee shall attach to the statement any report received by him or her in accordance with paragraph (c), which report shall become a public record when filed with the statement of the reporting individual or procurement employee. The reporting individual or procurement employee may explain any differences between the report of the reporting individual or procurement employee and the attached reports. The annual report ~~filed by a reporting individual shall be filed with the financial disclosure statement required by either s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution or s. 112.3145, as applicable to the reporting individual. The annual report filed by a procurement employee~~ shall be filed with the Commission on Ethics. The report filed by a reporting individual or procurement employee who left office or employment during the calendar year covered by the report shall be filed with the Commission on Ethics by July 1 of the year after leaving office or employment ~~at the same location as his or her final financial disclosure statement or, in the~~

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~~case of a former procurement employee, with the Commission on Ethics.~~

Section 2. Subsection (6) of section 112.3149, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

112.3149 Solicitation and disclosure of honoraria.—

(6) A reporting individual or procurement employee who receives payment or provision of expenses related to any honorarium event from a person who is prohibited by subsection (4) from paying an honorarium to a reporting individual or procurement employee shall publicly disclose on an annual statement the name, address, and affiliation of the person paying or providing the expenses; the amount of the honorarium expenses; the date of the honorarium event; a description of the expenses paid or provided on each day of the honorarium event; and the total value of the expenses provided to the reporting individual or procurement employee in connection with the honorarium event. The annual statement of honorarium expenses shall be filed by July 1 of each year for those expenses received during the previous calendar year. The reporting individual or procurement employee shall attach to the annual statement a copy of each statement received by him or her in accordance with subsection (5) regarding honorarium expenses paid or provided during the calendar year for which the annual statement is filed. The attached statement shall become a public record upon the filing of the annual report. The annual statement of a reporting individual shall be filed with the financial disclosure statement required by either s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution or s. 112.3145, as applicable to the reporting individual. The annual statement of a procurement

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88 ~~employee~~ shall be filed with the Commission on Ethics. The
89 statement filed by a reporting individual or procurement
90 employee who left office or employment during the calendar year
91 covered by the statement shall be filed with the Commission on
92 Ethics by July 1 of the year after leaving office or employment
93 ~~at the same location as his or her final financial disclosure~~
94 ~~statement or, in the case of a former procurement employee, with~~
95 ~~the Commission on Ethics.~~

96 Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.