

SENATE BILL No. 288

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 2-7-5-11.

Synopsis: Lobbying expenses of political subdivisions. Provides that a lobbyist may not engage in lobbying that is paid for, in whole or in part, from money derived from the revenues of a political subdivision. Provides that a political subdivision may not pay any money received by the political subdivision for lobbying. Provides that this prohibition does not apply to lobbying activities engaged in by a public employee of a political subdivision or a public official of a political subdivision for that political subdivision.

Effective: July 1, 2014.

Smith J

January 13, 2014, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy.



Second Regular Session 118th General Assembly (2014)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2013 Regular Session and 2013 First Regular Technical Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 2-7-5-11 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2014]: **Sec. 11. (a) This section does not apply to lobbying**
4 **activities engaged in by a:**
5 **(1) public employee of a political subdivision; or**
6 **(2) public official of a political subdivision;**
7 **for that political subdivision.**
8 **(b) A lobbyist may not engage in lobbying that is paid for, in**
9 **whole or in part, from money derived from the revenues of a**
10 **political subdivision.**
11 **(c) A political subdivision may not pay any money received by**
12 **the political subdivision for lobbying.**

