THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1187 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY EICHELBERGER, AUMENT, WAGNER, RESCHENTHALER, TEPLITZ, ALLOWAY, STEFANO, BREWSTER AND CORMAN, APRIL 19, 2016

REFERRED TO STATE GOVERNMENT, APRIL 19, 2016

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, in lobbying disclosure, further
- 3 providing for prohibited activities.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 13A07(a) of Title 65 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 13A07. Prohibited activities.
- 9 (a) Political committees and activities. -- The following
- 10 shall apply:
- 11 <u>(1)</u> A lobbyist may not serve as a <u>chairperson</u>, treasurer
- 12 or other officer who must be included in a registration
- statement under section 1624(b)(2) and (3) of the act of June
- 14 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania
- 15 Election Code, for a candidate's political committee or a
- 16 candidate's political action committee if the candidate is
- seeking a Statewide office or the office of Senator or
- 18 Representative in the General Assembly.

- 1 (2) A lobbyist may not own, be a partner in or serve as
- 2 <u>an officer or board member of any business or association</u>
- 3 that receives compensation for providing assistance with
- 4 political campaigns for the offices provided under paragraph
- 5 <u>(1).</u>
- 6 (3) A lobbyist may not work in any paid capacity for any
- 7 political campaign for the offices provided under paragraph
- 8 (1).
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- 10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.