

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. EPSTEIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to prohibiting former members of the legislature from receiving compensation for lobbying on behalf of any for-profit entity

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 8 of
2 section 73 of the public officers law, as amended by chapter 14 of the
3 laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:

4 (iii) (A) No person who has served as a member of the legislature
5 shall within a period of two years after the termination of such service
6 receive compensation for any services on behalf of any person~~[- firm,~~
7 ~~corporation or association]~~ or not-for-profit entity to promote or
8 oppose, directly or indirectly, the passage of bills or resolutions by
9 either house of the legislature.

10 (B) No person who has served as a member of the legislature shall at
11 any time after the termination of such service receive compensation for
12 any services on behalf of any for-profit entity to promote or oppose,
13 directly or indirectly, the passage of bills or resolutions by either
14 house of the legislature.

15 (C) No legislative employee shall within a period of two years after
16 the termination of such service receive compensation for any services
17 on behalf of any person, firm, corporation or association to appear,
18 practice or directly communicate before either house of the legislature
19 to promote or oppose the passage of bills or resolutions by either house
20 of the legislature.

21 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall
22 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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