

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1076

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “exempting” in line 3 down through “lobbyist;” in line 6; strike beginning with “exempting” in line 8 down through “registration;” in line 10; in line 10, after “expenses” insert “or compensation”; in line 12, after “lobbyist;” insert “increasing the threshold amount of certain compensation paid by an entity to one or more lobbyists, above which the entity shall be deemed a regulated lobbyist;”; strike beginning with “specifying” in line 16 down through “lobbyist;” in line 18; and in line 20, after “circumstances;” insert “specifying that the restriction on a regulated lobbyist serving on a State board or commission may not be enforced until a certain date;”.

On page 2, in line 15, strike “15-505(b) and (c)(2)(i).”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 4 and 5, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 2 on page 4 through line 2 on page 5, inclusive.

On page 5, in line 16, strike “\$500” and substitute “\$2,000”; in lines 16 and 20, in each instance, after “FOR” insert “ALL”; in lines 17 and 21, in each instance, after “COMMUNICATION” insert “DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD”; in line 26, strike “(5)” and substitute “(4)”; in line 28, strike “(6)” and substitute “(5)”; and in line 35, strike “\$500” and substitute “\$2,000”.

On page 6, in line 32, strike the brackets; and in line 35, strike “; OR” and substitute a period.

On pages 6 and 7, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 36 on page 6 through line 8 on page 7, inclusive.

On page 7, strike in their entirety lines 13 through 25, inclusive; in line 26, strike “(5)” and

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substitute “(4)”; and in line 31, strike “(6)” and substitute “(5)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 14, after line 4, insert:

“SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) The regulations required under § 15-703(f)(3) of the State Government Article, as enacted by this Act, shall be adopted not later than October 31, 2002.

(b) Notwithstanding Chapter 631 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2001, the provisions of § 15-703(f)(3)(i) of the State Government Article may not be enforced until November 1, 2002.”;

in line 5, strike “4” and substitute “5”; in line 9, strike “5” and substitute “6”; and in line 13, strike “4” and substitute “5”.