

**HB0046/380819/1**

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 46  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, strike “soliciting” and substitute “initiating a solicitation for”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 12 through 19, inclusive, and substitute:

“(a) **(1)** An official or employee may not intentionally use the prestige of office or public position for that official’s or employee’s private gain or that of another.

**(2) AN OFFICIAL MAY NOT DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY INITIATE A SOLICITATION FOR A PERSON TO RETAIN THE SERVICES OF A PARTICULAR REGULATED LOBBYIST OR LOBBYING FIRM.**

(b) The performance of usual and customary constituent services, without additional compensation, is not prohibited under subsection (a) of this section.”.