

# ASSEMBLY, No. 1118

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## STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1996 SESSION

**By Assemblyman LANCE**

1   **AN ACT** imposing certain notification requirements on legislative  
2   agents and lobbyists and supplementing P.L.1971, c.183  
3   (C.52:13C-18 et seq.).  
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5   **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State  
6   of New Jersey:

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8       1. a. Each legislative agent and lobbyist shall provide to each  
9   member of the Legislature, legislative staff, the Governor, the  
10   Governor's staff, or an officer or staff member of the Executive Branch  
11   who receives a benefit that is required to be reported to the  
12   commission pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1981, c.150 (C.52:13C-22.1),  
13   a full written and certified report describing the benefit, including a  
14   description of the benefit, the amount of the benefit, the date it was  
15   provided and to whom it was paid.

16       b. The reports shall be transmitted to the member of the  
17   Legislature, legislative staff, the Governor, the Governor's staff, or an  
18   officer or staff member of the Executive Branch by each legislative  
19   agent or lobbyist on a quarterly basis, no later than the 10th day  
20   following April 1, July 1, October 1 and January 1 and covering  
21   benefits provided in the immediately preceding three months. In the  
22   event that a legislative agent or lobbyist provides more than one  
23   benefit to a member of the Legislature, legislative staff, the Governor,  
24   the Governor's staff, or an officer or staff member of the Executive  
25   Branch during a quarter, the reports describing those benefits required  
26   pursuant to subsection a. of this section may be combined into one  
27   report or filed as separate reports.  
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29       2. This act shall take effect on January 1 following enactment.  
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### STATEMENT

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34       This bill requires that after providing a benefit to a member of the  
35   Legislature, legislative staff, the Governor, the Governor's staff, or an

1    officer or staff member of the Executive Branch, each legislative agent  
2    or lobbyist shall provide that person, on a quarterly basis, with a full  
3    written and certified report which describes that benefit, including a  
4    description of the benefit, the amount of the benefit, the date it was  
5    provided and to whom it was paid. The reports would be transmitted  
6    to the recipients of the benefits no later than the 10th day following  
7    April 1, July 1, October 1 and January 1 and cover benefits provided  
8    in the immediately preceding three months.

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14    lobbyists.