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92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 105, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to lobbying.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 105, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 105.479, to read as follows:

**105.479. 1. No person shall perform the functions of an executive lobbyist, judicial
2 lobbyist, or legislative lobbyist, as those terms are defined in section 105.470, within twelve
3 months of leaving a position as a statewide elected official or member of the general
4 assembly.**

**5 2. Any person who knowingly violates this section shall be guilty of illegal lobbying,
6 and shall be subject to a civil penalty in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars for
7 each violation. Such civil penalties shall be collected by action filed by the Missouri ethics
8 commission. Any resident of the state or member of the commission may file a civil
9 complaint against any person violating this section.**