

REFERENCE TITLE: **Lobbyists; campaign contributions; prohibition**

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HB 2682

Introduced by
Representatives De Los Santos: Aguilar, Gutierrez, Hernandez L, Ortiz,
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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 41-1234.01, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO
REGULATION AND REGISTRATION OF LOBBYISTS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 41-1234.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended
3 to read:

4 **41-1234.01. Contributions prohibited; legislature; governor**

5 **A.** While registered under this article, a principal, public body,
6 lobbyist, designated public lobbyist or authorized public lobbyist shall
7 not make or promise to make a campaign contribution to or solicit or
8 promise to solicit campaign contributions for:

9 1. A member of the legislature ~~when the legislature is in regular~~
10 ~~session~~.

11 2. The governor ~~when the legislature is in regular session or when~~
12 ~~regular session legislation is pending executive approval or veto.~~

13 B. Subsection A of this section only prohibits campaign
14 contributions by principals, lobbyists, designated public lobbyists or
15 authorized public lobbyists and the solicitation of campaign contributions
16 by principals or lobbyists during any time that the legislature is in
17 regular session but does not prohibit principals or lobbyists from raising
18 monies for any other purpose during the regular session of the
19 legislature.

20 C. A member of the legislature or the governor may accept a
21 campaign contribution that is received by a member of the legislature or
22 the governor within three calendar days after the first day of the regular
23 session of the legislature if the campaign contribution was mailed and
24 postmarked before the first day of the regular legislative session.