

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 4679 as follows:

1.2 Page 1, after line 6, insert:

1.3 "Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 10A.01, is amended by adding a subdivision  
1.4 to read:

1.5 Subd. 16b. **Employee of a political subdivision.** "Employee of a political subdivision"  
1.6 includes an individual hired or appointed by the political subdivision. An individual is also  
1.7 an employee of a political subdivision if the individual is:

1.8 (1) hired to provide the political subdivision services as a consultant or independent  
1.9 contractor; or

1.10 (2) employed by a business that has contracted with the political subdivision to provide  
1.11 legal counsel, professional services, or policy recommendations to the political subdivision.

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and  
1.13 applies to activities occurring on or after that date."

1.14 Page 1, lines 13 and 22, strike "or urging others to communicate"

1.15 Page 2, line 30, delete the first comma and insert "or professional or occupational" and  
1.16 delete everything after "training" and insert "to a local official at a lobbyist's request; or"

1.17 Page 2, delete lines 31 and 32

1.18 Page 3, after line 12, insert:

1.19 "Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 10A.01, subdivision 33, is amended to read:

1.20 Subd. 33. **Principal.** "Principal" means an individual or association that:

1.21 (1) spends more than ~~\$500~~ \$3000 in the aggregate in any calendar year to engage a  
1.22 lobbyist, compensate a lobbyist, or authorize the expenditure of money by a lobbyist; or

2.1 (2) ~~is not included in clause (1) and~~ spends a total of at least \$50,000 in any calendar  
2.2 year ~~on efforts~~ to influence legislative action, administrative action, or the official action  
2.3 of ~~metropolitan governmental units~~ political subdivisions, as described in section 10A.04,  
2.4 subdivision 6.

2.5 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and  
2.6 applies to activities occurring on or after that date."

2.7 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

2.8 Amend the title accordingly