## **HOUSE BILL NO. 4149**

February 06, 2019, Introduced by Reps. Rabhi, LaGrand, Marino, Haadsma, Yaroch and Pohutsky and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 472, entitled

"An act to regulate political activity; to regulate lobbyists, lobbyist agents, and lobbying activities; to require registration of lobbyists and lobbyist agents; to require the filing of reports; to prescribe the powers and duties of the department of state; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,"

(MCL 4.411 to 4.431) by adding section 6b.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 6b. (1) For 3 years after leaving office, a former member of the Michigan senate or house of representatives who was, at any

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- 1 time, the chair of a standing committee of the senate or house of
- 2 representatives shall not make expenditures for or receive
- 3 compensation or reimbursement for actual expenses for lobbying that
- 4 equal or exceed the limit established to require registration as a
- 5 lobbyist agent.
- 6 (2) A person who violates this section is guilty of a
- 7 misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days or
- 8 a fine of not more than \$1,000.00, or both.
- 9 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 10 after the date it is enacted into law.