LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 664

Introduced by Kuehn, 38.

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Political Accountability and
- 2 Disclosure Act; to amend section 49-1492, Reissue Revised Statutes
- of Nebraska; to prohibit a political subdivision from compensating a
- 4 lobbyist with revenue from taxes or fees; to provide a penalty; and
- 5 to repeal the original section.
- 6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 49-1492, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

- 2 amended to read:
- 3 49-1492 (1) No person shall be employed as a lobbyist for
- 4 compensation contingent in any manner upon the outcome of an
- 5 administrative or legislative action.
- 6 (2) No person shall instigate the introduction of legislation for
- 7 the purpose of obtaining employment in opposition thereto.
- 8 (3) No person shall attempt to influence the vote of the legislators
- 9 on any matters pending or to be proposed by the promise of financial
- 10 support or the financing of opposition to his candidacy at any future
- 11 election.
- 12 (4) No person shall engage in practices which reflect discredit on
- 13 the practice of lobbying or on the Legislature.
- 14 (5) A political subdivision shall not use revenue from any tax or
- 15 fee imposed by a government body to employ or contract with a lobbyist.
- 16 (6) (5) Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be
- 17 guilty of a Class III misdemeanor.
- 18 Sec. 2. Original section 49-1492, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 19 Nebraska, is repealed.