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"AN ACT CONCERNING GOVERNMENT TRANSPARENCY."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 1-94 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

5 (a) A lobbyist shall register with the Office of State Ethics pursuant
6 to this part if it or he:

7 (1) Receives or agrees to receive compensation or reimbursement for
8 actual expenses, or both, in a combined amount of two thousand
9 dollars or more in a calendar year for lobbying, whether that receipt of
10 compensation or reimbursement or agreement to receive such
11 compensation or reimbursement is solely for lobbying or the lobbying
12 is incidental to that person's regular employment; or

13 (2) Makes or incurs an obligation to make expenditures of two
14 thousand dollars or more in a calendar year for lobbying.

15 (b) The requirements of subsection (a) of this section shall not be
16 deemed to apply to any religious organization, provided any lobbyist
17 retained by any such religious organization shall be required to
18 register with the Office of State Ethics if such lobbyist would otherwise
19 be required to register pursuant to the provisions of subsection (a) of
20 this section."