THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 666

Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY STEFANO, MENSCH AND PHILLIPS-HILL, MAY 24, 2019

REFERRED TO STATE GOVERNMENT, MAY 24, 2019

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, in lobbying disclosure, further
- providing for definitions and for registration.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 13A03 of Title 65 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a definition to read:
- 8 § 13A03. Definitions.
- 9 The following words and phrases when used in this chapter
- 10 shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
- 11 context clearly indicates otherwise:
- 12 * * *
- 13 "Public official." A person elected by the public or elected
- 14 or appointed by a governmental body or an appointed official in
- 15 the executive, legislative or judicial branch of the
- 16 Commonwealth or any political subdivision thereof.
- 17 * * *
- 18 Section 2. Section 13A04 of Title 65 is amended by adding a
- 19 subsection to read:

- 1 § 13A04. Registration.
- 2 * * *
- 3 (a.1) Prohibition. -- A public official convicted on or after
- 4 the effective date of this subsection of a crime related to the
- 5 <u>public official's public office may not register as a lobbyist</u>
- 6 <u>under this chapter.</u>
- 7 * * *
- 8 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.