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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations, Reform, Technology and Elections

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to lobbyists; prohibiting former legislators, constitutional officers, and
1.3 agency heads from lobbying for legislative or administrative action for two
1.4 years after leaving office; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes,
1.5 chapter 10A.

1.6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.7 Section 1. **[10A.035] LOBBYING RESTRICTION.**

1.8 An individual may not act as a lobbyist who attempts to influence legislative or
1.9 administrative action for two years after leaving one of the following offices or positions:

1.10 (1) member of the legislature;

1.11 (2) constitutional officer; or

1.12 (3) commissioner, deputy commissioner, or head of any state department or agency.