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2 92nd General Assembly

A Bill

3 Regular Session, 2019

SENATE BILL 256

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5 By: Senators K. Ingram, Bond, J. Hendren, Hester

6 By: Representative Richmond

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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICIALS FROM
10 REGISTERING AS LOBBYISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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Subtitle

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15 TO PROHIBIT ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICIALS FROM
16 REGISTERING AS LOBBYISTS.

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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 21, Chapter 8, Subchapter 1, is amended
21 to add an additional section to read as follows:

22 21-8-103. Elected state officials prohibited from registering as
23 lobbyists – Definition.

24 (a) A person serving as an elected state official in any jurisdiction
25 is prohibited from registering as a lobbyist in Arkansas under § 21-8-601 et
26 seq. or similarly in any other jurisdiction while the person is serving as an
27 elected state official.

28 (b) As used in this section, "elected state official" means a person
29 holding an elective office of state government as a constitutional officer or
30 as a member of the General Assembly and includes persons during the time
31 period between the date that he or she is elected and the date he or she
32 takes office.

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/s/K. Ingram

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