

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 2056

Lobbyist/Prohibition of Acceptance of Expenditures by Senator Lawson

Provides that lobbyists' or principals' food and beverage expenditures are exempt from the gift ban at events, meetings, or functions held for the sole purpose of providing information on legislative, community, or governmental issues or having a specific education component. Exempts, also, the food and beverages associated with an organizational, governmental, professional, or public interest function or reception. Requires that said food and beverage be consumed at the event. Limits the total value of such expenditures to a value of \$20.00. (See bill for details)