

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 43rd Legislature (1992)

SENATE BILL NO. 742

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AS INTRODUCED

AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT; PROHIBITING
STATE ENTITIES FROM EMPLOYING OR CONTRACTING WITH
CERTAIN PERSONS OR COMPANIES FOR PURPOSE OF
LOBBYING THE OKLAHOMA STATE LEGISLATURE, STATE
ENTITIES, THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS OR ANY FEDERAL
AGENCY WITHOUT CERTAIN AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR
CODIFICATION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 841.25 of Title 74, unless there
is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Every state agency, board, commission, trust, authority or other
entity of the State of Oklahoma are hereby prohibited from employing
or contracting with any person or company whose duties would include
lobbying the Oklahoma State Legislature, any entity of the state,
the United States Congress or any federal agency to promote, oppose
or otherwise influence official action or passage of any legislation
without specific statutory authority to hire such employee or enter
into such a contract.

SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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