

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Concurrent Resolution No. 21 by Representative Talbot

LOBBYING: Requests the attorney general to review and report to the legislative governmental affairs committees and requests the governmental affairs committees to study and make recommendations all relative to the use of state general funds for lobbying and public relations purposes

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Changes resolution from directing the attorney general to urging and requesting the attorney general to report to the joint governmental affairs committees concerning certain laws relative to lobbying and related purposes.
2. Changes the report and study from laws relative to lobbying by public servants and the use of public funds for lobbying and related purposes to a report and study of laws relative to lobbying by state public servants and the use of state general funds for lobbying and related purposes.
3. Specifies that the joint committee makes recommendations to the legislature.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Requests the attorney general to review the laws relative to lobbying by state public servants and the use of state general funds for lobbying, public relations, and related purposes and to report thereon, including any recommendations related thereto, to the House and Senate governmental affairs committees by Sept. 15, 2013. Requests the House and Senate governmental affairs committees to meet and to function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations relative to lobbying by state public servants and the use of state general funds for lobbying, public relations, and related purposes to the legislature no later than 30 days prior to the 2014 R.S.