

HR 5124

Restrict Conflicted Lobbying Act

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 1, 2023)

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This bill increases the length of the post-employment ban on lobbying (commonly known as the cooling-off period) that applies to former senior-level executive branch officials.

Current law prohibits these employees from representing a client (i.e., lobbying) before the former employing department or agency for one year following the separation from employment. The bill extends this period to two years.

Actions Timeline

- Aug 1, 2023: Introduced in House
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