

# HB0346



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2019 and 2020

HB0346

by Rep. Anthony DeLuca

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

25 ILCS 10/20 new

Amends the General Assembly Operations Act. Provides that a liaison or other employee of an executive branch officer may not lobby on the floor of the House of Representatives or the Senate, or any employee thereof, while in session. Defines "lobby". Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The General Assembly Operations Act is amended  
5 by adding Section 20 as follows:

6 (25 ILCS 10/20 new)

7 Sec. 20. Lobbying prohibition. Notwithstanding any other  
8 law to the contrary, on and after the effective date of this  
9 amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly, a person employed  
10 as a legislative liaison for, or otherwise employed by, an  
11 executive branch officer, or any agency, board, or commission  
12 under the control of an executive branch officer, may not lobby  
13 on the floor of the House of Representatives while the House of  
14 Representatives is in session or the floor of the Senate while  
15 the Senate is in session. For the purposes of this Section,  
16 "lobby" means any communication with a member of the House of  
17 Representatives or the Senate while that member is at his or  
18 her desk on the floor, or any employee of the House of  
19 Representatives or of the Senate, for the ultimate purpose of  
20 influencing any executive, legislative, or administrative  
21 action.

22 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

1 becoming law.