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Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Government Operations (originally sponsored by Senators Spanel, Long and Kohl)

Brief Description: Limiting political activities of citizen members of the legislative ethics board.

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(AS OF SENATE 2ND READING 2/9/96)

Provides that no citizen member of the legislative ethics board may: (1) Hold or campaign for elective office;

(2) be an officer of any political party or political committee as defined in chapter 42.17 RCW, other than the position of precinct committeeperson;

(3) permit his or her name to be used, or make contributions, in support of or in opposition to any legislative candidate, any legislative caucus campaign committee that supports or opposes legislative candidates, or any political action committee that supports or opposes legislative candidates; or

(4) engage in lobbying in the legislative branch under circumstances not exempt, under RCW 42.17.160, from lobbyist registration and reporting.