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SUBJECT:

LOBBYING BILL

Yesterday the Senate passed a lobbying bill which would increase enforcement and reporting procedures for people lobbying on the Hill.

What is the White House opinion of this bill?

GUIDANCE: We have not really had a chance to analyze the bill thoroughly, but it is primarily an issue of concern to the Hill. It would not, with the exception of a logging procedure for government employees dealing with private contracts of substantial amounts of money, have much effect on the Executive branch.

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