

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2896

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 28, 2018

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

AN ACT

To require disclosure by lobbyists of convictions for bribery, extortion, embezzlement, illegal kickbacks, tax evasion, fraud, conflicts of interest, making false statements, perjury, or money laundering.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Justice Against Cor-
3 ruption on K Street Act of 2018” or the “JACK Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. DISCLOSURE OF CORRUPT MALPRACTICE BY LOB-**
5 **BYISTS.**

6 (a) **REGISTRATION.**—Section 4(b) of the Lobbying
7 Disclosure Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1603(b)) is amended—

8 (1) in paragraph (5), by striking “and” at the
9 end;

10 (2) in paragraph (6), by striking the period at
11 the end and inserting “; and”; and

12 (3) by inserting after paragraph (6) the fol-
13 lowing:

14 “(7) for any listed lobbyist who was convicted
15 in a Federal or State court of an offense involving
16 bribery, extortion, embezzlement, an illegal kickback,
17 tax evasion, fraud, a conflict of interest, making a
18 false statement, perjury, or money laundering, the
19 date of the conviction and a description of the of-
20 fense.”.

21 (b) **QUARTERLY REPORTS.**—Section 5(b) of the Lob-
22 bying Disclosure Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1604(b)) is
23 amended—

24 (1) in paragraph (4), by striking “and” at the
25 end;

1 (2) in paragraph (5), by striking the period at
2 the end and inserting “; and”; and

3 (3) by adding at the end the following:

4 “(6) for any listed lobbyist who was convicted
5 in a Federal or State court of an offense involving
6 bribery, extortion, embezzlement, an illegal kickback,
7 tax evasion, fraud, a conflict of interest, making a
8 false statement, perjury, or money laundering, the
9 date of the conviction and a description of the of-
10 fense.”.

Passed the Senate August 23, 2018.

Attest:

JULIE E. ADAMS,

Secretary.