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Comments *	<p>Firstly I would like to acknowledge the amount of thought and work that has gone into the Lobbyist Act. I am grateful we have this legislation as I think it is in the public's best interest for lobbying to be regulated. However, there are some changes I would like to see. 1. I love the minimum hours that have been set for organizational lobbyists however I would also like to see a maximum number of hours that an organization or consultant can lobby the government for specific changes. 2. That all gifts be prohibited. 3. Protection for whistleblowers for government officials and lobbyists alike. 4. The cut off for prosecution for a contravention be extended from 2ys to 4yrs (section 19, 9) 5. That there are minimum requirements for the registry to be available to the public. There is specific information missing that would be helpful for the public. Like # of hours spent lobbying, and what specific changes to legislation or grants are they lobbying for. Thank you!</p>