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PART B:

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1. Are you currently or have you previously been a registered lobbyist in Alberta?
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No

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2. In which jurisdiction(s) elsewhere in Canada, if any, are you currently (or were previously) a registered lobbyist?
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Federally

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3. Feedback
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We encourage you not to burden registered charities and associations made up of not-for-profit organizations with requirements of the Lobbyists Act. There are costs and requirements associated with this that charities in Alberta are in no position to absorb. The carbon tax and minimum wage initiatives recently implemented are already substantially increasing costs for charities at a time when donations and corporate sponsorships are drying up due to the state of the economy. We know of know instances where such a requirement would have been in the public interest.

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