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S 1228. CLARIFY STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT. Filed 3/21/07. TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT.

Amends GS 138A-3(15) to include within the definition of a gift anything of monetary value given or received without valuable consideration from liaison personnel. Amends GS 138A-24(a)(8) to exclude from the statement of economic interest things of value greater than \$200 given by a member of the person's extended family. GS 138A-38(1) provides an exception for participating in an official or legislative action when the only interest or reasonably foreseeable benefit that accrues to the covered person, the covered person's extended family, or a business with which the covered person is associated is no greater than that which could reasonably be foreseen to accrue to all members of that profession, occupation, or general class. Amends this provision to include benefit to nonprofits with which the covered person is associated. Intro. by Clodfelter. **GS 138A**