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**Disclosures Amendments**  
2025 GENERAL SESSION  
STATE OF UTAH

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3 **LONG TITLE**

4 **General Description:**

5 This bill requires the disclosure of travel provided to an elected official by a foreign entity  
6 or an agent of a foreign entity.

7 **Highlighted Provisions:**

8 This bill:

- 9     ▸ under certain circumstances, requires an elected official to disclose travel provided to the  
10 elected official by a foreign entity or an agent of a foreign entity; and  
11     ▸ defines terms.

12 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

13 None

14 **Other Special Clauses:**

15 None

16 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

17 ENACTS:

18 **36-36-101**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

19 **36-36-102**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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21 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

22 Section 1. Section **36-36-101** is enacted to read:

23 **36-36-101 . Definitions.**

24 As used in this chapter:

25 (1) "Agent" means:

26 (a) an official of a foreign entity; or

27 (b) an individual acting for, or on behalf of, a foreign entity.

28 (2) "Elected official" means the same as that term is defined in Section 36-11-302.

29 (3) "Foreign entity" means:

30 (a) a foreign government; or

- 31 (b) a corporation or other organization that is owned or controlled by a foreign  
32 government.
- 33 (4) "Foreign government" means the same as that term is defined in Section 36-11-102.
- 34 (5)(a) "Travel" means transportation or lodging outside of Utah.
- 35 (b) "Travel" includes receiving funds or reimbursement for transportation or lodging  
36 outside of Utah.
- 37 Section 2. Section **36-36-102** is enacted to read:
- 38 **36-36-102 . Disclosure of travel provided by foreign entity.**
- 39 (1) Except as described in Subsection (3), an elected official who receives travel shall  
40 disclose the travel if the elected official knows or should know through reasonable  
41 diligence, that any portion of the travel is provided by:
- 42 (a) a foreign entity; or  
43 (b) an agent of a foreign entity, acting on the foreign entity's behalf.
- 44 (2) An elected official shall make the disclosure within 31 days after the later of the day on  
45 which the elected official:
- 46 (a) travels;  
47 (b) receives funding or reimbursement for travel; or  
48 (c) gains the knowledge, or through the exercise of reasonable diligence should have  
49 gained the knowledge, described in Subsection (1).
- 50 (3) An elected official is not required to disclose:
- 51 (a) travel for which the elected official cancels or returns funds; or  
52 (b) travel that the elected official engages in before gaining the knowledge described in  
53 Subsection (1).
- 54 (4)(a) An elected official shall report the disclosure to the lieutenant governor on a form  
55 provided by the lieutenant governor.
- 56 (b) The disclosure shall include:
- 57 (i) the elected official's name;  
58 (ii) the dates of the travel; and  
59 (iii) the name of each foreign entity, foreign government, and foreign agent that  
60 provided the travel.
- 61 (5) Notwithstanding any provision of Title 63G, Chapter 2, Government Records Access  
62 and Management Act, the lieutenant governor shall make each disclosure described in  
63 this section available for public inspection and copying no later than one business day  
64 after the statement is filed.

65           Section 3. **Effective Date.**

66    This bill takes effect on May 7, 2025.