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## *Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board*



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- To: Advisory Opinion Files Opinions 198, 218, 238, and 245
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**Re:** Legislation renders Advisory Opinion obsolete

This Advisory Opinion, which relates to gifts of plaques from lobbyists or lobbyist principals to officials under Minnesota Statutes Section 10A.071, is obsolete.

The 2009 legislature changed the language of the exception so that most gifts of plaques are now permitted.

The statute is here:

https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=10A.071

The exception is found in subd. (3)(a)(4).