Amend SB 1001 on third reading by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Subchapter D, Chapter 501, Insurance Code, is amended by adding Section 501.1531 to read as follows:

Sec. 501.1531. LOBBYING ACTIVITIES NOT AUTHORIZED. Section 501.153 does not authorize the public counsel to engage in activities to an extent or in a manner that would require a person engaging in those activities to register as a lobbyist under Section 305.003, Government Code.