**Anti-Lobbying Provisions**

Federal Student Aid funds will not be used to pay any person for trying to influence

* A member of Congress or an employee of a member of Congress, or
* An officer or employee of Congress or any agency

This prohibition applies to the making of a federal grant or loan, awarding federal contracts, and entering into federal cooperative agreements, as well as to the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of a federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

In addition, Federal Student Aid funds may not be used to hire a registered lobbyist or to pay any person or entity for securing an earmark. Schools receiving FSA funds will have to certify their compliance with these requirements annually.

If a school that receives more than $100,000 in Campus-Based funds has used non-federal funds to pay any person for lobbying activities in connection with the Campus-Based programs, the school must submit a disclosure form at least annually or when changes occur.