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## How politicians profit from politics



David Horsey, Los Angeles Times / Courtesy of AAEC

### **Talking Points**

- 1. What are these cartoonists saving about how politicians profit from politics?
- 2. What do you think of former President Obama being paid \$400,000 for a speech?
- 3. Do former office-holders often get big bucks for speaking?
- 4. What about politicians being hired as high-priced lobbyists?
- 5. What do you think of President Trump pushing big tax cuts that profit himself?
- 6. How much taxes would repealing Obamcare save Trump and many in Congress?

#### Between the lines

The health care bill "really is about taking a trillion dollars out of your health care to fund tax cuts for the rich. Trump and company celebrate while the country remains outraged." - Rep. Darren Soto, D-Fla.

http://www.orlandosentinel.com/news/politics/p olitical-pulse/os-central-florida-republicanshealth-care-20170504-story.html

#### Additional resources

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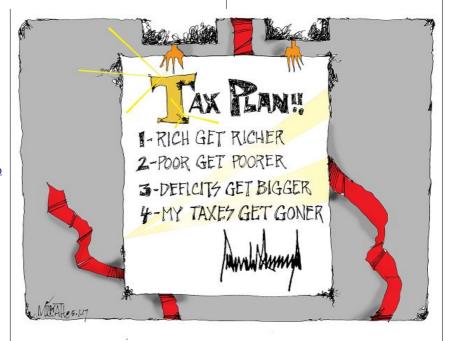
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