

HB 1765 -- Lobbyist Reports

Sponsor: Zweifel

This bill requires lobbyists to file verified registration forms with the Missouri Ethics Commission no later than January 5 of each year or five days after beginning lobbyist activities and removes the requirement that lobbyists provide the commission with a summary of legislation they supported or opposed.

Under current law, a lobbyist can file a single report for expenditures made on behalf of certain groups, rather than individuals in the group. The bill removes from the list joint committees of the General Assembly, standing committees of the House of Representatives or Senate, and General Assembly caucuses.