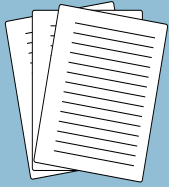
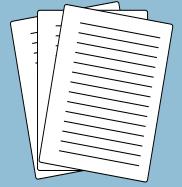


# LOBBYING AT A GLANCE

*Looking for information on fees for late filings?*



A quick glance at the amendments to regarding late lobbying filing fee waivers.



## Overview

Beginning in 2025, the Commission codified its late fee program in regulation. The new regulation, effective January 1, 2025, set forth the criteria and requirements to request a waiver for a late filing fee.

***Upon a determination that a filing is late, the Commission will send the lobbyist or client a billing notice stating such determination and assessing the late filing fee.***

- This rulemaking relates to the filing of a Statement of Registration, Registration Amendment, Bi-Monthly Report, and Client Semi- Annual Report.

***Any applicable lobbying filing not timely filed will be subject to the late fee schedule set forth below.***

Days Late	Action	
	First-Time Filer	All Other Filers
1-7 Days	Grace Period/No Late Fee	
8-14 Days	\$75 flat late fee	\$150 flat late fee
15-30 Days	\$150 flat late fee	\$300 flat late fee
31-90 Days	\$300 flat late fee	\$500 flat late fee
91-180 Days	\$500 flat late fee	\$1,000 flat late fee
181 Days and More	\$1,000 flat late fee	\$2,000 flat late fee

### NOTE:

A lobbyist is considered a first-time filer only when the lobbyist is required to file a Statement of Registration, Bi-monthly Report, or Client Semi-Annual Report for the first time.

[More information on the late fee regulations is available on COELIG's website.](#)

Questions?

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