

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 238 (Senator Ruben)
Economic and Environmental Affairs

Lobbyists Reporting Requirements - Special Events - Delegations of the General Assembly

This bill requires lobbyists to report functions or special events to the State Ethics Commission if all the members of a county or regional delegation of the General Assembly are invited. Current law provides that lobbyists must report these functions only if all members of the General Assembly, either house, or a standing committee are invited.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill would not directly affect State finances.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: Minimal impact on the administrative requirements of small lobbying businesses due to the reporting requirement of the bill. The finances of such small businesses would not be materially affected.

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