

INFLATIONARY ADJUSTMENT CALCULATIONS FOR LOBBYING REPORTING VALUES

Category – Lobbying	Statutory Section	Statutory Value	Last Set in Statute	Current Value in Rule	Inflation adjustment for 2023 (Dec. 2022 values)
Threshold for reporting members of a lobbyist employer entity who pay dues or fees.	42.17A.600(1)	\$500	1973 ch 1	\$1,450	\$4,152
Limit for exemption from registration for lobbying expenses in a three-month period.	42.17A.610(5)	\$25	1982 ch 147	\$35	\$85
Threshold for itemizing expenditures on entertainment and food or beverage for public officials.	42.17A.615(2)	\$25 (entertainment)	1982ch 147	\$50	\$85
		\$50 (food & beverage)	1995 ch 397	n/a	\$111
Threshold for lobbyists and lobbyist employers reporting making a last-minute contribution.	42.17A.625	\$1,000	2001 ch 54	n/a Note: The threshold for PAC reporting LMC's was adjusted to \$1,500 in 2023.	\$2,815
Aggregate annual threshold for special report by lobbyist employers that make contributions or independent expenditures.	42.17A.630(1)	\$16,000 contributions/ \$800 IE	2010 ch 204	\$20,000/ contributions	\$23,440
				\$1,000/IE's	\$1,172
Threshold for lobbyist employers reporting compensation paid to elected officials (or family).	42.17A.630(1)	\$800	2010 ch 204	n/a	\$1,172
Threshold for reporting contributions by lobbyist employers to any candidate.	42.17A.630(2)	\$100	1990 ch 139	\$110	\$220
Threshold of expenditure activity for registration as a grassroots lobbying campaign.	42.17A.640(1)	\$500 per month	1985 ch 367	\$700	\$1,022
		\$1,000 per three-month period		\$1,400	\$2,044
Threshold for reporting the identity of contributors to a grassroots campaign.	42.17A.640(2)	\$25	1985 ch 367	n/a	\$51