



STATE OF MICHIGAN
JOCELYN BENSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

June 24, 2025

NOTICE OF FILING
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

To: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House of Representatives
Joint Committee on Administrative Rules
Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules (Administrative Rule #2024-049-ST)
Legislative Service Bureau (Secretary of State Filing #25-06-05)
Department of State

In accordance with the provisions of Section 46(1) of Act 306, Public Acts of 1969, as amended, and Executive Order 1995-6, this is to advise you that the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed Administrative Rule #2024-049-ST (Secretary of State Filing #25-06-05) on this date at 11:43 A.M. for the Department of State, entitled "Lobbyist Registration and Reporting".

These rules become effective immediately after filing with the secretary of state unless adopted under section 33, 44, or 45a(9) of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.233, 24.244, or 24.245a. Rules adopted under these sections become effective 7 days after filing with the secretary of state.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn Benson
Secretary of State

Lashana Threlkeld, Departmental Supervisor
Office of the Great Seal

Enclosure



GRETCHEN WHITMER
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
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MARLON I. BROWN, DPA
DIRECTOR

June 24, 2025

The Honorable Jocelyn Benson
Secretary of State
Office of the Great Seal
Richard H. Austin Building – 1st Floor
430 W. Allegan
Lansing, MI 48909

Dear Secretary Benson:

Re: Michigan Administrative Rules #: 2024-49 ST

The Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules received administrative rules, dated November 25, 2024 for the Department of State “**Lobbyist Registration and Reporting**”. We are transmitting these rules to you pursuant to the requirements of Section 46 of Act No. 306 of the Public Acts of 1969, being MCL 24.246, and paragraph 16 of Executive Order 1995-6.

Sincerely,

Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules



STATE OF MICHIGAN
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CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

2024-49 ST

LOBBYIST REGISTRATION AND REPORTING

Pursuant to the authority conferred on the secretary of state by section 16 of 1978 PA 472, MCL 4.426, the secretary of state formally adopts:

R 4.471, R 4.472, and R 4.473 of the Michigan Administrative Code are rescinded.

Date: March 24, 2025

Adopted by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jocelyn Benson".

Jocelyn Benson, Secretary of State



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LEGAL CERTIFICATION OF RULES

I certify that I have examined the attached administrative rules, dated November 25, 2024, in which the Department of State proposes to modify a portion of the Michigan Administrative Code entitled “**Lobbyist Registration and Reporting**” by:


- ♦ Rescinding R 4.471, R 4.472, and R 4.473.

The Legislative Service Bureau has approved the proposed rules as to form, classification, and arrangement.

I approve the rules as to legality pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act, MCL 24.201 *et seq.* and Executive Order No. 2019-6. In certifying the rules as to legality, I have determined that they are within the scope of the authority of the agency, do not violate constitutional rights, and are in conformity with the requirements of the Administrative Procedures Act.

Dated: November 26, 2024

Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules

By: 
Emily Leik,
Attorney


CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

On behalf of the Legislative Service Bureau, and as required by section 45 of the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.245, I have examined the proposed rules of the Department of State dated November 25, 2024, rescinding R 4.471, R 4.472, and R 4.473 of the Department's rules entitled "Lobbyist Registration and Reporting." I approve the rules as to form, classification, and arrangement.

Pursuant to section 44(1) of the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.244(1), these rules are being processed without a public hearing.

Dated: November 26, 2024

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE BUREAU

By 
Rachel M. Hughart,
Legal Counsel

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BUREAU OF ELECTIONS
LOBBYIST REGISTRATION AND REPORTING

Filed with the secretary of state on June 24, 2025

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(By authority conferred on the secretary of state by section 16 of 1978 PA 472, MCL 4.426)

R 4.471, R 4.472, and R 4.473 of the Michigan Administrative Code are rescinded, as follows:

R 4.471 Rescinded.

R 4.472 Rescinded.

R 4.473 Rescinded.

FILED WITH SECRETARY OF STATE

ON 06/24/25 AT 11:43 AM