

# Legislative Analysis

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**House Bill 4691 (proposed substitute H-1)**

**Sponsor: Rep. Terry J. Sabo**

**Committee: Elections and Ethics**

**Complete to 5-17-21**

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## SUMMARY:

House Bill 4691 would add a new section to 1978 PA 472, also known as the lobbyist registration act, to provide that a person required to file a report under the act is ineligible for any civil appointment in Michigan from the governor, legislature, or any other state authority (except appointment as a notary public) unless the appointing authority determines that the appointment would not result in a conflict of interest. A conflict of interest would mean that the appointee's lobbying interests would tend to improperly influence the performance of his or her civil duties.

The bill would take effect January 1, 2022.

Proposed MCL 4.417a

## FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill would have no fiscal impact on the state or local units of government.

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