



## || SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA BILL SUMMARY

### **Senate Bill 695** **Printer's No. 682**

Prime Sponsor: Senator Joseph Scarnati  
Committee: State Government

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#### **SYNOPSIS:**

Amends Title 65 (Public Officers) to provide for requirements of lobbyists, lobbying firms and the Department of State.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Requires lobbyists and lobbying firms to register and file reports electronically through the computerized system developed by the Pennsylvania Department of State. Additionally, the legislation requires the Department to post on its publicly accessible Internet website all filings it receives within seven days.

Effective Date: A portion of the bill takes effect January 1, 2016. The remainder of this act shall take effect immediately.

#### **BILL HISTORY:**

Referred to Senate State Government, April 6, 2015.

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