



2008 Random Audit Report for Lobbyist James Hamilton

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 3-6-308(a)(7), on June 24, 2008, the name of registered lobbyist Mr. James Hamilton was randomly drawn for audit. The audit of Mr. Hamilton was conducted by telephone as Mr. Hamilton lives and works in Phoenix, Arizona. The audit was conducted by Assistant General Counsel, Willow E. Fort.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS:

All requested documentation was provided by Mr. Hamilton and no violations of the Ethics Reform Act of 2006 were found.

EMPLOYER

Mr. Hamilton is employed by LifeLock. Mr. Hamilton is employed by agreement.

REGISTRATION:

LifeLock is Mr. Hamilton's sole employer within the State of Tennessee.

Mr. Hamilton reports that he works as a lobbyist for LifeLock in any state or federal arena in which they might need lobbying services. Mr. Hamilton reports he is registered to lobby for LifeLock in most states requiring lobbyist registration and is also federally registered. Despite his registration in Tennessee, Mr. Hamilton reports he has done no lobbying within Tennessee since his registration and LifeLock has not paid him for lobbying within Tennessee since his registration. Mr. Hamilton explained his Tennessee registration was simply an effort to ensure he would be compliant should he be called upon to lobby within Tennessee.

By statute, Employers and lobbyists must register within seven (7) days after entering into an agreement to become an Employer or a lobbyist, respectively. While Mr. Hamilton has not yet engaged in lobbying within Tennessee, he has entered into an agreement to lobby and thus both he and his Employer must register. Both he and his employer, LifeLock, registered with the Commission on May 22, 2008. Both are timely registered.

CONTRACT:

Mr. Hamilton has an oral employment contract with LifeLock. To verify the oral contract, Mr. Hamilton provided the name and contact information of the Chief Operations Officer of LifeLock. LifeLock submitted a letter to the Commission stating that they do have a lobbying agreement with James Hamilton.

Mr. Hamilton reported that his reimbursement and/ or pay would be in no way contingent upon success.

FAMILY OR BUSINESS ARRANGEMENTS WITH PUBLIC OFFICIALS:

Mr. Hamilton reports he has no business or familial relationships with persons who are officials in the legislative branch or officials in the executive branch.

TRAINING:

Mr. Hamilton did not attend training last year as he was not registered as a lobbyist in Tennessee. He stated that he does plan to attend the required training this year, and hopes to do so by video streaming as he lives out of state.

AMOUNTS REPORTED BY LOBBYIST AND EMPLOYER:

Mr. Hamilton reports he has received absolutely no payment from LifeLock for lobbying services within Tennessee. Mr. Hamilton and LifeLock did not enter into a lobbying agreement until May 22, 2008. Because they did not enter into a lobbying agreement until this time, no lobbying expenditure report is yet due.

IN-STATE EVENTS:

Mr. Hamilton reported neither he nor his employer had expenditures for events within Tennessee.

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