

45-10-26 - For Effective Date See Note. Public Officials And Employees To File Yearly Disclosure Statements Concerning Business Transactions With State Statements To Be Public Records

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45-10-26. (For effective date, see note.) Public officials and employees to file yearly disclosure statements concerning business transactions with state; statements to be public records

(a) (For effective date, see note.) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this Code section, any public official or employee, whether for himself, herself, or on behalf of any business, or any business in which such public official or employee or any member of his or her family has a substantial interest who transacts business with the state or any agency thereof shall disclose such transactions. Such disclosure shall be submitted prior to January 31 each year to the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Commission on such forms as it shall prescribe and shall include an itemized list of the previous year's transactions with the dollar amount of each transaction reported and totaled. Such disclosure statements shall be public records.

(b) The requirement to disclose certain transactions as provided in subsection (a) of this Code section shall not apply to any transaction when the amount of a single transaction does not exceed \$250.00 and when the aggregate of all transactions does not exceed \$9,000.00 per calendar year.

(c) Any person who fails to file a disclosure statement as required in subsection (a) of this Code section shall be subject to the penalties provided for in Code Section 45-10-28.