
JOINT LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE

- Requires that all moneys credited to the renamed Joint Legislative Ethics Committee Investigative and Financial Disclosure Fund be used solely for expenses related to the Committee's investigative and financial disclosure functions.

Joint Legislative Ethics Committee: fund

(R.C. 101.34 and 102.02; Section 321.10)

The act changes the name of a fund in the state treasury to the Joint Legislative Ethics Committee Investigative and Financial Disclosure Fund, and expands its permitted uses. The act specifies that all moneys credited to the Fund must be used solely for expenses related to the investigative and financial disclosure functions of the Joint Legislative Ethics Committee (JLEC). Under prior law, money in the Fund, which was called the Joint Legislative Ethics Committee Investigative Fund, was authorized to be used solely for the operations of JLEC in conducting investigations.

Under continuing law, JLEC acts as an advisory body to the General Assembly and related others on questions concerning financial disclosure. JLEC also conducts investigations of General Assembly members and related others.

