

Summary of Travel Rules



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Type of Trip

	Permissible Sponsor	Lobbyist Involvement in Planning, Organizing, Requesting, or Arranging	Lobbyist and Foreign Agent Accompaniment	Certification, Committee Approval, and Post-travel Disclosure Required?	Notes
One-day Event Trip	Any sponsor <i>OTHER</i> than a lobbyist or foreign agent	<i>De minimis</i>	Not permitted	Yes	Travel may be extended to a two-night stay when determined by the Committee to be practically required for traveler to participate in the one-day event
Trip Sponsored by an Institution of Higher Education	Private universities and colleges	Permitted	Permitted	Yes	
Multiple-day Event Trip	Any sponsor <i>OTHER</i> than a lobbyist, foreign agent, or private entity that retains or employs such an individual	Not permitted	Not permitted	Yes	
Government-sponsored Travel	Federal, state, and local governments, including a public university or college	Permitted	Permitted	No	
Foreign Government-sponsored Travel	Foreign government with a MECEA-approved trip, or in-country foreign travel permitted under the FGDA	Permitted	Permitted	No	Special disclosure requirements for FGDA travel