

INTEREST GROUPS AT WORK: ACTION STEPS

Interest groups- groups of people with similar interests that work to influence government decisions and policies.



REPRESENT VERY SPECIFIC OR MORE GENERAL INTERESTS



EDUCATE VOTERS AND OFFICE HOLDERS



CONDUCT LOBBYING



DRAFT LEGISLATION



MOBILIZE MEMBERS TO APPLY PRESSURE ON
AND WORK WITH LEGISLATORS AND
GOVERNMENT AGENCIES



FILE AN AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF (A WRITTEN
DOCUMENT SUBMITTED AS A “FRIEND OF THE COURT”
TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR JUSTICES
TO CONSIDER WHEN REVIEWING A CASE)