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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name Leadership Conference on Civil Rights			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1629 K Street, N.W., Suite 1010			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from box 2) City: Washington, D.C. State/Zip (or Country) 20006			
4. Contact Name Lisa M. Haywood		Telephone (202) 466-3311	Email (optional) haywood@civilrights.org
			5. Senate ID # 22371-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 33310000

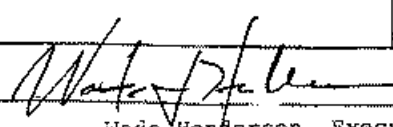
TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End ()

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report Termination Date _____

11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>(Indicate nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>137,174.62</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature 

Printed Name and Title Wade Henderson, Executive Director

8/14/2000

Registrant Name Leadership Conference on Civil Rights

Client Name Self

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) needed.

15. General issue area code CIV

16. Specific lobbying issues

Support expeditious confirmation Judicial Appointments
Against use of Island Vieques as a target for active munitions
Oppose S. 625 Bankruptcy Reform Act 1999
Against Bankruptcy Reform Act 1999 H.R. 833
Oppose Community Reinvestment Act provision S.900
Support the CRA provision of H.R. 10
Support Civil Rights Procedures Protection Act H.R. 872/S.121
Support Kennedy's (Bill S.625 to raise the Minimum Wage
Support Scott amendment to Education Options Act H.R. 4141
Support the Fairness and Accuracy in Student Testing Act
Oppose Sessions amendment (ESEA)

Support FY 2000 increase for Civil Rights Enforcement federal agencies
Support Low Power FM Radio Service
Support Hate Crimes Prevention Act of 1999 S.02291.R. 1082
Support Employment Non Discrimination Act H.R. 2355/S.1276
Support FY2000 increase for Census Bureau for a fair and accurate count
Support U.S. Department of Education's initiative to bring digital opportunity
Oppose S.2066 Radio Broadcasting Preservation Act of 2000
Support H.R. 1443 Traffic Stops Act
Support the Smith/Kennedy "Local Law Enforcement Enhancement Act of 2000"
For Refugee Protection Act S. 1940

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

The White House
U.S. Department of Labor
U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Department of Transportation
U.S. Department of Justice
U.S. State Department
U.S. Federal Trade Commission
U.S. Federal Communications Commission

Check if None

U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
U.S. Department of Education
Bureau of the Census
U.S. Department of Commerce
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
U.S. Commission on Civil Rights
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Wade Henderson	Executive Director	<input type="checkbox"/>
Karen McGill Lawson	Policy/Research Associate	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brian Komar	Legislative Analyst	<input type="checkbox"/>
Joy Paluska	Research Assistant	<input type="checkbox"/>
H. Robert Sakaniwa	Immigration Policy Director	<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Wade Henderson Date 8/14/2000

Printed Name and Title Wade Henderson, Executive Director

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16. Specific lobbying issues

1. **Support** expeditious processing and confirmation of nominees to the federal bench.
2. **Support** Legislation to extend and improve the 1994 Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) Title I.
3. "Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1999", H.R. 833 & S.625 would structurally alter the bankruptcy system, imposing hardships that would fall hardest on the most vulnerable among us. **Oppose**

LCCR **opposed** the comprehensive legislation, S.625. However LCCR supports three amendments to the bill, Children and Families Amendment, Predatory Lending Amendment, Minimum Wage Amendment.
4. Strong **Opposition** to S.900, the Financial Service Modernization act of 1999, which drastically weakens the Community Reinvestment Act, on H.R. 10/S.900. LCCR Supported the CRA provisions of H.R. 10 and opposed any provisions which would reduce the effectiveness of the CRA.
5. **Support** Civil Rights Procedures Protection Act H.R. 872/S.121 would prevent employers from forcing workers to give up their right to go to court and accompanying legal protections – when they have job discrimination claims.
6. **Support** The Fairness and Accuracy in Student Testing Act, the issue of fair test use is fundamental to educational progress for minority and low income communities.
7. **Support** Sen. Kennedy's Bill S.625 that would raise the minimum wage one dollar over a two year period.
8. **Support** FY 2000 increase for the Civil Rights Enforcement Budget for all federal agencies.
9. **Support** President Clinton's Nomination for Bill Lann Lee to be Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights.
10. Hate Crimes Prevention Act of 1999 (S.622 and H.R. 1082) introduced in the House and Senate to expand the federal criminal civil rights statute regarding hate crimes. **Support**

11. **Support** Improving Education, Employment and Civil Rights Enforcement outcomes for minorities with disabilities.
12. **Opposed** provision to the ESEA Act that will single out students with limited english proficiency (LEP), subjecting them to new onerous enrollment requirements for Title I that other students will not face.
13. LCCR supported adequate and unrestricted funding for the Census Bureau, opposed legislative proposals limiting the Bureau's ability to carry out an accurate count.
14. **Support** U.S. Department of Education's initiatives to bring digital opportunity to all Americans.
15. **Opposed** Radio Broadcasting Preservation Act of 2000(S.2068), and any other effort to limit the Federal Communications Commission's decision to give local community organizations the opportunity to enhance diversity in local radio broadcasting through their low power FM radio (LPFM) initiative.
16. **Support** Low Power FM Radio Service, it increases the potential for local organizations to utilize the public airwaves to help service the interest of the nation's most disadvantaged communities.
17. **Support** Scott Amendment to Education options, Act. H.R. 4141
18. **Support** The Refugee Protection Act. S. 1940, it would restore a fair procedural balance to the way immigrants seeking refuge from prosecution are treated, a bill that would help to ensure that bona fide refugees will not be turned away with out a meaningful opportunity to present their claims in a fair administrative hearing.
19. The Smith/Kennedy Amendment would strengthen the federal response to hate crime violence by covering all such violent crimes based on race, color, religion, or national origin. **Support**
20. **Oppose** provisions in the National Defense Authorization bill H.R. 4205 pertaining to Vieques, Puerto Rico.