

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is an amended registration 2000 K Street, NW, Fifth Floor			
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, State/Zip (or Country): D.C. 20006-1872			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID#
Gene E. Godley	202-828-5800		6837-63
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID#
Browning-Ferris Industries, Inc.			31699001

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1 - June 30) OR Year End (July 1 - December 31)

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

10. Check if this is a Termination Report Termination Date June 30, 2000

11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 2162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature: Gene E. Godley
Printed Name and Title Gene E. Godley, Partner
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Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. Client Name Browning-Ferris Industries, Inc.

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 page(s) as needed.

15. General issues area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Section 29, Non-conventional fuels, Power take off

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Check if None

Joint Tax Committee
House
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Michael L. Pate		

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

Signature 

Printed Name and Title Gene E. Godley, Partner

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