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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Patton Boggs LLP			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2550 M Street, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20037			
4. Contact Name James B. Christian, Jr.		Telephone (202) 457-6484	E-mail (optional)
5. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self American College of Gastroenterology		5. Senate ID # 30906-101	
		6. House ID # 31917004	

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 99 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying Activity ☐

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR 13	
<b>12. Lobbying Firms</b>  INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>100,000</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	<b>13. Organizations</b>  EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$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).	<b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> 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 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title James B. Christian, Jr., Partner

Registrant Name Patton Boggs LLPClient Name American College of Gastroenterology

**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) as needed.

15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Balanced Budget Act Implementation

Medicare Reimbursement Issues (including practice expense, ambulatory surgical center rulemaking, E&amp;M coding, colorectal cancer benefit)

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

U.S. House of Representatives

U.S. Senate

White House

Department of Health and Human Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New <input type="checkbox"/>
Martha M. Kendrick		<input type="checkbox"/>
John F. Jonas		<input type="checkbox"/>
Willis T. Gradison		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
JoAnn V. Willis		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elizabeth B. O'Hara		<input type="checkbox"/>
Sascha M. Burns		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Eliminate Colorectal Cancer Act of 1999 (S.1044, H.R. 1816)

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

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**Information Update Page – Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City

State/Zip (or Country)

22. New general description of client's business or activities

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Melissa Douglas**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization (s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

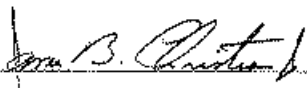
**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization.

Signature



Date

8/16/99

Printed Name/and Title

James B. Christian, Partner