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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Smith W. Davis		Telephone 202-887-4000	E-mail (optional)
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Schaghticoke Tribal Nation of Connecticut, Inc.		5. Senate ID # 682-951	6. House ID # 31784085

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 1999 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 Line 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>40,000</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"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Income (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 \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title Smith W. Davis, P.C. - Partner

Registrant Name Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P. Client Name Schaghticoke Tribal Nation of Connecticut, 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 as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Work to accelerate the timing of consideration of the Schaghticoke Tribal Nation's petition for acknowledgement before the Bureau of Acknowledgement & Recognition (Interior Department)

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

U.S. Department of the Interior

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Smith w. Davis		<input type="checkbox"/>
Donald R. Pongrace		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Ado A. Machida		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Jamie Tucker, Jr.	(served as Legislative Counsel to U.S. Representative Bob Inglis (R-SC) from 1997 to 1999)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Signature

*Smith W Davis, P.C.*

Date August 13, 1999

Printed Name and Title Smith W. Davis, P.C. - Partner