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LOBBYING REPORT

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

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| 1. Registrant Name Gardner, Carton & Douglas | | | |
| 2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1301 K Street, N.W. Suite 900, East Tower City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005 | | | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City Chicago State/Zip (or Country) IL 60610 | | | |
| 4. Contact Name Telephone E-mail (optional) Robert Waters 202 230-5152 rwaters@gcd.com | | | 5. Senate ID # |
| 7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Spina Bifida Association of America | | | 6. House ID # |

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-De

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 Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

| 12. Lobbying Firms | 13. Organizations |
|---|--|
| <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</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>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 type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code</p> |

Signature *Robert Waters* Date 01/20/2001

Printed Name and Title **Robert Waters - Partner** Pa

Client Name: Gardner, Carton & Douglas

Client Name: Spina Bifida Association of America

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 HCR (one per page)
- 16. Specific Lobbying issues
Funding for the National Spina Bifida Program at the CDC

- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
House of Representatives
Senate

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|----------------------------|---|
| Halpern, Ilisa | |
| Williams, Christine | |
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- 19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature



Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name and Title **Robert Waters - Partner** _____ Pa