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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <u>Chamber of Shipping of America</u>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>1730 M Street, NW, Suite 407, Washington, DC 20036-4517</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <u>Same as Above</u> State/Zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name <u>Joseph J. Cox</u>	Telephone <u>202/775-4399</u>	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # <u>38767-12</u>
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # <u>32198000</u>

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 _____ 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>Income (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 type="checkbox"/> → \$ <u>40,000.00</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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____
 Printed Name and Title _____

Chamber of Shipping
 Registrant Name of America 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) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- OPA 90 Amendments (no bill number)
- Harbor Maintenance Tax Replacement Funding (HR 1260/HR 1947)
- Ratification of UN Convention on the Law of the Sea
- Ratification of MARPOL Annex VI -- Air Pollution from Ships
- Jones Act Reform (S 1032)
- Tax Reform (HR 2159/HR 265)
- Asbestosis Compensation (S 758)
- OECD Shipbuilding Agreement
- Free Market Anti-Trust Reform Act (HR 3138)

Maritime Transportation System
Task Force

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

Check if None

- US House of Representatives
- US Senate
- Maritime Administration
- US Coast Guard
- US Department of Transportation
- Department of Navy
- National Transportation Safety Board
- Environmental Protection Agency
- Occupational Health & Safety Admin.
- National Oceanic & Atmospheric Admin.
- US Transportation Command
- Military Sealift Command
- Council for Environmental Quality
- National Ocean Survey
- Department of Labor

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Joseph J. Cox		<input type="checkbox"/>
Kathy J. Metcalf		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Joseph J. Cox Date August 7, 2000
 Printed Name and Title Joseph J. Cox, President