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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Continental Group, Inc.			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Suite 850 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006 United States			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Beth Anne Cole	Telephone 202-419-2500	E-mail (optional) cole@acgrep.com	5. Senate ID # _____
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Independence Blue Cross			6. House ID # 31648074

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2002 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 type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$60,000.00</u> 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 definit</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603: the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162: Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____ Date 2/13/2005

Printed Name and Title Shawn Smeallie - Managing Director Pa

Registrant Name: American Continental Group, Inc.

Client Name: Independence Blue Cross

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
General health care issues.

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Musselman, Ian	
Smeallie, Shawn	

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

Signature  Date 2/15/2005

Printed Name and Title Shawn Smeallie - Managing Director Pa