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LOBBYING REPORT

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| 1. Registrant Name Van Ness Feldman, A Professional Corporation | |
| 2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1050 Thomas Jefferson St., N.W. Seventh Floor City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20007 | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City Same State/Zip (or Country) | |
| 4. Contact Name Amanda Esquibel | Telephone E-mail (optional) 5. Senate ID # 39815-428 |
| 7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Petro Star, Inc. | 6. House ID # 30171024 |

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 | |
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| 12. Lobbying Firms 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>\$20,000.00</u> 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). | 13. Organizations 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) 14. REPORTING METHOD. 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 8/13/99

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Registrant Name: Van Ness Feldman, A Professional Corporation

Client Name: Petro Star, 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 DEF..... (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Issues affecting clients status as a small disadvantaged business under contracts for fuel with the Department of Defense.

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) | New |
|---------------------------|---|-----|
| Roberts, Thomas C. | | No |
| Simon, Jon | | Yes |
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

Issues affecting clients status as a small disadvantaged business under contracts for fuel with the Department of Defense. Federal funding assistance for a biodesulfurization project in Alaska.

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

Department of Health & Human Services
Environmental Protection Agency
House of Representatives
Senate

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) | New |
|--------------------|---|-----|
| Roberts, Thomas C. | | No |
| Simon, Jon | | Yes |
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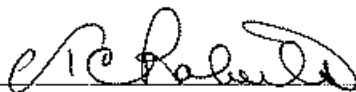
15. General issue area code SMB (one per page)
16. Specific Lobbying issues
Issues affecting client's status as a small disadvantaged business under contracts for fuel with the Department of Defense.
Issues related to client's eligibility for the HUB Zone program.

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

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) | New |
|---------------------------|---|------------|
| Roberts, Thomas C. | | No |
| Simon, Jon | | Yes |
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