

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Balch & Bingham LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address: 1275 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W. 10th Floor City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): DC 20004 USA			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____			
4. Contact Name William Stiers	Telephone (202) 347-6000	E-mail (optional) wstiers@balch.com	5. Senate ID # 5197-87
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Alabama Space Science Exhibits Commission			6. House ID # 31107-006

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>5100,000.00</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>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"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</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 type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature William Stiers Date 6/29/2000

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Registrant Name: Balch & Bingham LLP

Client Name: Alabama Space Science Exhibits Commission

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 AER (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R. 4635, Making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for independent agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001,

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
Heck, Wade		Yes
Stiers, William		No

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

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Client Name: Alabama Space Science Exhibits Commission

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R. 4461. Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2001,
S. 2536. Appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for fiscal year 2001,

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
Heck, Wade		Yes
Stiers, William		No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R. 4475 , A bill making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for fiscal year 2001, S. 2726, Appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for fiscal year 2001,

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
<u>Heck, Wade</u>		<u>Yes</u>
<u>Stiers, William</u>		<u>No</u>

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Registrant Name: Batch & Bingham LLP

Client Name: Alabama Space Science Exhibits Commission

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

ECN, EDU

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)


26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership % in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client, or affiliated organization

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