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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <i>Alvarado & Gerken</i>			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <i>613 2nd St NE</i>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <i>WDC</i> State/Zip (or Country) <i>20002</i>			
4. Contact Name <i>David Gerken</i>	Telephone <i>544-0003</i>	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <i>Commonwealth of Puerto Rico</i>			6. House ID #

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 *12/31/00* 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"/> ⇨ \$ <i>60,000</i> 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 *David Gerken*
 Printed Name and Title *David Gerken - Partner*

Registrant Name Howard S. Berken Client Name Commonwealth of Puerto Rico

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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Legislation amending Section 30A of the IRC

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

Check if None

House
Senate
White House

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
<u>David Berken</u>		<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 David Berken Date 7/24/01

Printed Name and Title David Berken - Partner