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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. S. CHAMBER INSTITUTE FOR LEGAL REFORM			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1615 H STREET NW WASHINGTON DC 20062			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____			
4. Contact Name Judith K. Richmond Stephen A. Bokat		Telephone 202/463-5337 202/463-5337	E-mail (optional) jrichmon@uschamber.com sbokat@uschamber.com
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self		5. Senate ID # 51172 -12	6. House ID # 34805000

**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><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p><b>INCOME</b> 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><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p><b>EXPENSES</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>230,000.00</u>  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> 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 Judith K. Richmond

Printed Name and Title JUDITH K. RICHMOND, SECRETARY

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 353, The Class Action Fairness Act of 1999  
H.R. 1875, The Interstate Class Action Jurisdiction Act of 1999  
Proportional Liability draft legislation

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted.  Check if None  
U.S House of Representatives & U.S. Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
<u>Mathew D. Webb</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<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

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S. 1020, The Motor Vehicle Franchise Contract Arbitration Fairness Act  
H.R. 534, The Fairness and Voluntary Arbitration Act  
H.R. 5164, Transportation Recall Enhancement, Accountability, and Documentation (TREAD) Act  
S. 3059, Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Equipment Defect Notification Improvement Act

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H.R. 3308, The Small Business Franchise Act

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27. General issue area code BUD (one per page)

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H.R. 4690, Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations for FY 2001  
S. 2536, Agriculture Appropriations for FY 2001  
H.R. 4635, VA, HUD & Independent Agencies Appropriations for FY 2001

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