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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant name  
 Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP

2. Address  Check if different than previously reported  
 677 Broadway  
 Albany NY 12207 U

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)  
 City State/Zip or Country

4a. Contact Name Mr. Richard Lauricella	b. Telephone number 518-449-8893	c. E-mail lauricellar@wemed.com	5. Senate ID # 415670
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Albany Medical Center Hospital			6. House ID # 329750

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2005 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 Activities

**INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13**

**12. Lobbying Firms**

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000   
 \$10,000 or more  ⇨ \$ 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   
 \$10,000 or more  ⇨ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate reporting method. See instructions for description of reporting method.

**Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions  
 **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(1) Internal Revenue Code  
 **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code

Edit Form

Signature  Date 2/13/06

Printed Name and Title Richard Lauricella, Chief Administrative Officer  
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Registrant Name Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP

Client Name Albany Medical Center Hospital

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant is engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each code** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code HCR - Health Issues (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Healthcare issues including funding, medicare, and medicaid

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

House of Representatives and United States Senate

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

Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Lisa	Marrello	
Kenneth	Shapiro	
Cynthia	Shenker	
Alexander	Betke	
Theresa	Russo	
Darrell	Jeffers	

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

Signature 

Date 2/13/86

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Mr. James Barba  
President & CEO  
Albany Medical Center  
43 New Scotland Avenue, A-114  
Albany, NY 12208

**Our File No.: 04623.00004**  
**Federal Tax ID #13-2679447**

Dear Mr. Barba:

This will confirm our understanding concerning this firm serving as Legislative Counsel to Albany Medical Center on the Federal level commencing on January 1, 2005 until December 31, 2005. The representation will be on specific issues identified jointly by Albany Medical Center and Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP.

The fee for these services will be \$50,000.00 (Fifty Thousand Dollars) per year expenses. This fee shall be paid in four equal installments of \$12,500.00. The first payment will be returned with the signed retainer. Expenses will be billed as incurred.

The Federal Regulation of Lobbying Act requires that WEMED file this retainer with a statement of registration and we file financial reports on February 15, 2005 and August 15, 2005. Clients are not required to file reports on the Federal level.

**Please note, we must have a signed retainer before we can lobby on your behalf;** the terms of this retainer are acceptable, please sign where indicated and return original to us.

Very truly yours,

WILSON, ELSER, MOSKOWITZ, EDELMAN & DICKER LLP

BY:   
Cynthia D. Shenker

ACCEPTED BY:

Name: J. J. Barba Signature:  DATE: 12/20/04  
President & CEO, Albany Medical Center

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