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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Bates Capitol Group LLC			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 400 West Market Street, 32nd Floor			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Louisville State/Zip (or Country) Kentucky 40202			
4. Contact Name Hunter Bates	Telephone (502) 779-8600	E-mail (optional) hunter@batescapitol.com	5. Senate ID # 86414-113
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self AFP Advanced Food Products, LLC			6. House ID # 36564005

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)

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 Act

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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 exp accounting method. See instructions for description of opti</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) o Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Holly Piper
Printed Name and Title Holly Piper, Director of Federal Affairs

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Registrant Name Bates Capitol Group LLC Client Name AFP Advanced Food Products, LLC

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 DIS (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Support for nutritional supplement

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

U.S. Senate
USAID

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
G. Hunter Bates	
Holly Piper	

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

Signature *Holly H. Piper* Date 8/10/05
Printed Name and Title Holly Piper, Director of Federal Affairs

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Registrant Name Bates Capitol Group LLC Client Name AFP Advanced Food Products, LLC

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

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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	Or pe cli

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

Signature Holly H. Piper

Date 8/10/05

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