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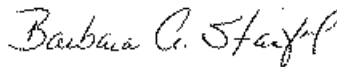
Re: British Columbia Softwood Trade Council - Senate ID# 5142-24

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of a completed Form LD-2, Lobbying Report, for filing with your office. Please stamp the copy received and return it to me in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope.

If you have any questions regarding this form, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Barbara A. Staniford
Secretary to B. Thomas Peele III

Enclosures

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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Baker & McKenzie			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 815 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: same State/Zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name John R. Reilly	Telephone (202) 452-7000	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 5142-24
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self British Columbia Softwood Trade Council			6. House ID #

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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 align="center">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>120,000</u> <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 align="center">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"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></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 _____

Printed Name and Title _____

Registrant Name Baker & McKenzie Client Name British Columbia Softwood Trade Council

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 TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Implementation of U.S.-Canada Softwood Trade Agreement.

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

United States Trade Representative
U.S. Department of Commerce

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
John R. Reilly		<input type="checkbox"/>
B. Thomas Peele III		<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

Shipments to U.S. are affected by issue listed above.

Signature John R. Reilly Date 8/4/99
Printed Name and Title John R. Reilly, Of Counsel