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### LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported One Renaissance Boulevard, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Harold J. Bressler		Telephone 630/792-5671	5. Senate ID # 20813-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self		E-mail (optional)	6. House ID # 33479000

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

<b>INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13</b>	
<b>12. Lobbying Firms</b> INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$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).	<b>13. Organizations</b> EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>80,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000) <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature Harold J. Bressler

Printed Name and Title Harold J. Bressler, General Counsel

Joint Commission on Accreditation  
 of Healthcare Organizations  
 Registrant Name \_\_\_\_\_ Client Name Self

**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 HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues  
 Quality Oversight Issues  
 Confidentiality Issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None  
 House, Senate, HHS/Health Care Financing Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Margaret Van Amringe Vice President, External Affairs		<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Elmore Director, Federal Relations		<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 Harold J. Bressler Date August 14, 2000  
 Printed Name and Title Harold J. Bressler, General Counsel

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

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