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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization	ML Strategies, LLC		
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
701 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW		Suite #900	
City	Washington	State	DC
		Zip Code	20004
		Cour	
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City	State	Zip Code	Cour
	State/Zip or Country		
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Mark Buse	202.434.7435	mbuse@mlstrategies.com
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			5. Senate ID #
Northwest Airlines, Inc.			25
			6. House ID #
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TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-De

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 Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>60,000</u>	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u> </u>
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6604 Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

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Registrant Name ML Strategies, LLC Client Name Northwest Airlines, Inc.

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

15. General issue area code AVI - Aviation/Aircraft/Airlines (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Issues related to the airline/aviation industry.

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

U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives

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

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
David	Leiter		
Karen	Knutson		
Mark	Buse		
Neal	Martin		
Patrick	Mara		

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

Printed Name and Title Mark Buse, Vice President of Government Relations 2-11-2005

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