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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 901 15th Street, N.W. Suite 700 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name John H. Zentay	Telephone (202) 371-6000	E-mail (optional) jhzentay@verner.com	5. Senate ID # 39974-1228
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Rite Aid Corporation			6. House ID # 30883101

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2002 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☒ OR Year End (July 1-Dec 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 ☐

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>\$100,000.00</u> 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 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"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____ Date 8/5/2002

Registrant Name: Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand

Client Name: Rite Aid Corporation

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

**H.R.2173, Pharmacy Education Aid Act of 2001,
H.R.3626, Medicare Drug and Service Coverage Act of 2002,
H.R.4741, Medicare Pharmacy Benefit Act of 2002,
H.R.4954, Medicare Modernization and Prescription Drug Act of 2002,
S.1135, Medicare Reform Act of 2001,
S.1806, Pharmacy Education Aid Act of 2001,
S.2244, Prescription Drug Price Parity for Americans Act,
S.812, Greater Access to Affordable Pharmaceuticals Act of 2001,**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

**House of Representatives
Senate**

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Eskin, Andrew D.	
Hart, Vicki E.	
Regan, Karen	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

☒ Check if None

Signature _____ Date 8/5/2002

Registrant Name: Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & HandClient Name: Rite Aid Corporation

Item	Description	Data
16	Lobbying Issues	Medicaid policy affecting retail pharmacies. Medicaid issues, including medicaid copayment. Medical records privacy issues. Bush prescription discount card.

Registrant Name: **Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand**Client Name: **Rite Aid Corporation****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

Morris, Sara W.
Sidman, Lawrence R.
Bernstein, Matthew C.
Hochberg, Philip R.

ISSUE UPDATE24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

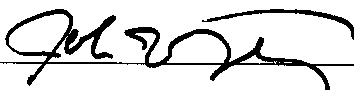
26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

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

Signature


Date **8/5/2002**

Registrant Name: Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & HandClient Name: Rite Aid Corporation

Item	Description	Data
23	Lobbyist Update	Martin, Jenifer
23	Lobbyist Update	Duncan, III, Lawrence

