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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <b>Higgins, McGovern &amp; Smith</b>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <b>1620 L Street, NW, Suite 1210</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20036</b>			
4. Contact Name <b>John Timmons</b>	Telephone <b>(202) 955-6062</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>/</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>18205-</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>Association of American Railroads</b>			6. House ID # <b>335820</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2001 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-Dec)

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"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></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>40,000</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"><b>13. Organizations</b></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><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title John W. Timmons



Registrant Name Higgins, McGovern & Smith Client Name Association of American Ra:

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 141 - Surface Transportation Board Reform Act of 2001
- H.R. 180 - Railroad Retirement and Survivors' Improvement A
- H.R. 734 - To amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1974 to limitation on benefits
- H.R. 1140 - Railroad Retirement and Survivors' Imporvement

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


U.S. House of Representatives

U.S. Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
John Timmons	Attorney

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

Signature  Date 8/7/01

Printed Name and Title John Timmons, Attorney

