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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <u>Ricchetti Inc.</u>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>1001 G Street NW Suite 700 East</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <u>Washington</u> State/Zip (or Country) <u>DC 20001</u>			
4. Contact Name <u>Jay Heimbsch</u>	Telephone <u>(202) 879-9367</u>	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # <u>62778</u>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <u>American Gastroenterological Association (AGA)</u>			6. House ID # <u>35395</u>

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2001 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 Activities

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>60,000⁰⁰</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</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6013(b)(3) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e)(2)(B) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____

Printed Name and Title Jay Heimbsch, Vice President



Registrant Name Ricchetti Inc. Client Name AGA

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the 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 MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S. 357 - Medicare Prescription & Improvement Act
- S. 358 - Medicare Prescription & Drug Supp. Benefit Program
- S. 1135 - Medicare Reform Act

→ issues pertaining to site of service payment differential for gastroenterological services

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

House of Representatives

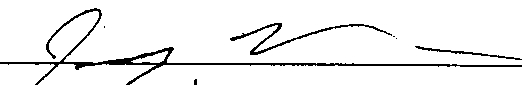
US Senate

Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA)

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Steve Ricchetti	Deputy Chief of Staff to the Presi
Jeff Ricchetti	
Lisa Kountapas	Deputy Assistant to the Preside.
Jay Heimbach	Policy Adviser to the Dep. Chief Acting Director, OLIA, FCC

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

Signature  Date 8/06/01
Printed Name and Title Jay Heimbach Vice President

