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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Blank Rome Government Relations LLC			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 600 New Hampshire Avenue, NW 11th Floor City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20037			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Rebecca South	Telephone (202)772-5803	E-mail (optional) south@blankrome.com	5. Senate ID # 6325-1193
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Alaska Railroad Corporation			6. House ID # 35883027

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<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>\$40,000.00</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>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</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____ Date 2/4/2004

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Registrant Name: Blank Rome Government Relations LLC

Client Name: Alaska Railroad 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 DEF (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R. 2658/S. 1382, FY 2004 DOD Appropriations, issues related to funding for track upgrades and line chan military bases.

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)
Bobek, Kelly	
Broomfield, Emma	
Drewry, James S.	Democratic General Counsel, Senate Commerce Con
Smith III, Duncan C.	Chief Counsel, Merchant Marine and Fisheries Cor
South, Rebecca	
Southwick, Jennifer M.	Staff Asst., Transportation & Infrastructure Comm.
Westby, Desiree	

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

Check if None

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Zane, C.J.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R. 6, Energy Policy Act of 2003, issues related to conference report language concerning pollution clean-up

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

Check if None

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R. 2673, FY 04 Consolidated Appropriations Bill, issues related to rail safety and infrastructure

H.R. 2989/ S. 1589, Making appropriations for Departments of Transportation and Treasury for FY 2004, is to rail safety and infrastructure improvements

Issues related to TEA-21 reauthorization

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

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Client Name: **Alaska Railroad Corporation**

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18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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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
Southwick, Jennifer M.

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Bus (city and state or cou


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 registrar or affiliated organization

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