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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name Smith & Metalitz LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1747 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Suite 825 Washington DC 20006 USA			
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2) City _____ State/Zip or Country _____			
4a. Contact Name Mr. Eric H. Smith		b. Telephone number 202-833-4198	c. E-mail esmith@s3law.com
			5. Senate ID # 35662-277
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Recording Industry Association of America		6. House ID # 30805012	

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 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 Activity

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</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"/> ⇨ \$ _____</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of option:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Revenue Code</p>
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Signature Maria S Strong

Date 8/11/2006

Printed Name and Title Eric H. Smith, Managing Partner

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Registrant Name Smith & Metalitz LLP Client Name Recording Industry Association of America

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 TRD - Trade (Domestic & Foreign) (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Protection of copyrights in China and compliance by China with its obligations relating to the protection of copyrights as a member of the WTO.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted None House Senate Other

Office of the U.S. Trade Representative
Executive Office of the President
Department of Commerce
Department of State

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Eric Smith	
Maria Strong	
Michael Schlesinger	

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

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Signature _____ Date 8/11/2006

Printed Name and Title Eric H. Smith, Managing Partner
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Registrant Name Smith & Metalitz LLP

Client Name Recording Industry Association of America

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State/Zip

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

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues 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	Ownership percentage client

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

Signature _____

Date 8/11/2006

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