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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Baker & Hostetler LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1050 Connecticut Ave., N.W., #1100 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City Cleveland State/Zip (or Country) OH 44114			
4. Contact Name Sara Scarlett		Telephone (202) 861-1529	E-mail (optional) sscarlett@baker-hostetler.com
5. Senate ID # 5131 428			
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Major League Baseball			6. House ID # 3001 9016

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$60,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Signature William H. Schweitzer

Date 2/27/00



Registrant Name: **Baker & Hostetler LLP**

Client Name: **Major League Baseball**

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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

Legislation affecting amarization, depreciation, and allocations in regard to franchise purchase prices.

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

**House of Representatives
Senate**

Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Schweitzer, William H.	

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

Check if None

Signature William H. Schweitzer

Date 2/27/00

Printed Name and Title **William H. Schweitzer - Partner**

