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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration

1. Effective Date of Registration June 9, 2005

2. House Identification Number _____ Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP
 Address 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW
 City Washington State DC Zip 200
 4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)
 City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 5. Telephone number and contact name
 (202) 887-4000 Contact Steven J.W. Heeley E-mail (optional) _____
 6. General description of registrant's business or activities
A law firm

CLIENT A lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should be labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10. Self

7. Client name Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation
 Address P.O. Box 21
 City Owyhee State NV Zip 89
 8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)
 City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 9. General description of client's business or activities
Tribal government

LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of acting as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|---------------------|---|
| Todd J. Araujo | Donald R. Pongrace |
| Allison C. Binney | Michael G. Rossetti |
| Katherine D. Brodie | |
| Steven J.W. Heeley | |

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Registrant Name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP Client Name Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Ve

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, page

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Indian water rights settlement

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant during the semiannual period and in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

No ⇨ Go to line 14.

Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) |
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FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

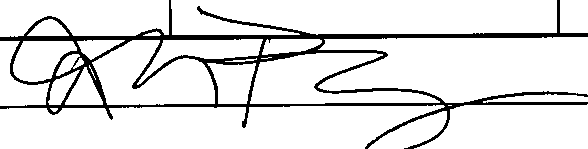
- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or in any organization identified on line 13; or
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or supports the activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the conduct of the lobbying activity?

No ⇨ Sign and date the registration.

Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then sign and date the registration.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities |
|------|---------|---|--|
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Signature



Date July 5, 2005

Printed Name and Title

Donald R. Pongrace, Partner

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