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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Society of Anesthesiologists			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported STE. 606, 1101 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Park Ridge State/Zip (or Country) IL 60068			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Michael Scott	(202) 289-2222	m.scott@asawash.org	3388-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
		31546000	

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 Act

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more ⇔ \$ _____
Income (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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more ⇔ \$ 1,900,000
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method.

- Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition
- Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code
- Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Signature Michael Scott 2/11/02

Printed Name and Title MICHAEL SCOTT, DIRECTOR OF GOV'T & LEGAL AFFA.



Registrant Name ASA Client Name Same

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the regi engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, pr information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See Attached

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

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Michael Scott	

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

Signature *Michael Scott* Date 2/11/02

Printed Name and Title Michael Scott, Director of Governmental Affairs



1. February 21, Terrence L. Kay, Director, Division of Physician and Ambulatory Care, CHPP/PPPPG, Health Care Financing Administration, re 5-year review of the Medicare Fee Schedule.
2. May 31, Terrence L. Kay, re medical direction rules.
3. August 17, Linda Fishman at CMS, re anesthesia Medicare conversion factors.
4. September 26, Linda Fishman, re same.
5. October 1, Tina Hill at CMS, re specialty code for pain management.



Registrant Name ASA Client Name Same

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See Attached

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Department of Health and Human Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Michael Scott	
Manuel Bonilla	
Diane Turpin	

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

Signature *Michael Scott* Date 2/11/02

Printed Name and Title Michael Scott, Director of Governmental Affairs



S. 889 Frist-Jefford-Breaux Patient's Bill of Rights
S 1052 Kennedy-McCain Patient's Bill of Rights
H.R. 2315 Fletcher-Peterson Patient's Bill of Rights
H.R. 2563 Ganske-Dingell Patient's Bill of Rights
H.R. 716/S. 332 Anesthesia Study Bill
H.R. 868/S. 452 Medicare Education and Regulatory Fairness Act
H. R. 3351/S. 1701 Medicare Physician Payment Fairness Act
H. R. 3391 Medicare Regulatory and Contracting Reform Act
March 19 Presidential Suspension Order re Final Rule published 1/18/01 (66.F.R.4674)
May 18 Announcement of Extended Effective Date of HCFA Rule published (66 F.R. 153
July 5 CMS Proposed Rule superceding 1/18/01 Final Rule (66 F.R. 35395)
November 13 CMS Final Rule superceding Final Rule published 1/18/01 (66 F.R. 56762)

