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# LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <b>Gardner, Carton &amp; Douglas</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address <b>1301 K Street, N.W.</b> Suite <b>900, East Tower</b> City <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20005</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City <b>Chicago</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>IL 60610</b>			
4. Contact Name <b>Paul Seltman</b>		Telephone <b>202 230-5171</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>pseltman@gcd.com</b>
5. Senate ID #			
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>Guidant Corporation</b>			6. House ID #

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2005 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 Activities ☐

## INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<b>12. Lobbying Firms</b>  <b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ 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).	<b>13. Organizations</b>  <b>EXPENSES</b> 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)  <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 8/15/2005

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Registrant Name: Gardner, Carton & Douglas

Client Name: Guidant 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 MMM (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues  
**Medicare Inpatient Proposed Rule for FY 2006**

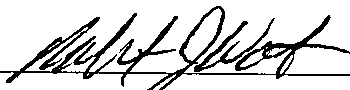
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☒ Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Seltman, Paul	

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

Signature



Date 8/15/2005



Printed Name and Title

**Robert Waters - Partner**

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