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1. Registrant name
Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.

2. Address Check if different than previously reported
2000 K STREET, NW SUITE 500
WASHINGTON DC 20006-1872 U

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)
City _____ State/Zip or Country _____

4a. Contact Name Mr. Michael L. Pate	b. Telephone number (202) 828-5841	c. E-mail michael.pate@bracepatt.com	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Burlington Northern Santa Fe	6. House ID # 316990		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 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 12/31/2004 11. No Lobbying Activities

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 reporting method. See instructions for description of each method.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature *Michael L. Pate* Date 2/14/05

Printed Name and Title Michael L. Pate, Partner



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Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.Client Name Burlington Northern Santa Fe

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

15. General issue area code RRR - Railroads (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Assist in obtaining necessary legislation and regulatory approvals with regard to railroad issues, such as diesel fuel tax and railroad retirement.

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

House
Senate
Department of State

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Ed Bethune	
William T. Brack	
Jim Chapman	
Gene E. Godley	
Michael L. Pate	
Scott H. Segal	
Edward Krenik	Assoc. Admin. Congressional & Intergovernmental Relations, Environmental Protection Agency
Frank V. Maisano	

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

Signature _____

Date _____

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

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