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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name The American Dietetic Association	
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1225 Eye Street, NW Suite 1250 Washington, DC 20005	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Chicago State/Zip (or Country) IL 60606-6995	
4. Contact Name Stephanie Patrick	Telephone 202-371-0500
E-mail (optional) spatrick@eatright.org	5. Senate ID # 2241-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 30552000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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 Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>174,000</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature *M. Stephanie Patrick*

Printed Name and Title M. Stephanie, Vice President of Government Relations

Registrant Name The American Dietetic Association n/a

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 HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Departments of Labor, Health, & Human Services, and Education
and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2000

DHHS -- Draft Objectives for Healthy People 2010 project,
expected January 2000

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

House
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Tricia Hollis		<input type="checkbox"/>
Tracy Fox		<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephanie Patrick		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature *Stephanie Patrick* Date March 15, 2000
Printed Name and Title: Stephanie Patrick, Vice President of Government Relations

Registrant Name The American Dietetic Association Client Name n/a

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1187, S 660 -- Medicare Medical Nutrition Therapy Act of 1999
Regulations to implement the diabetes self-management training
benefit in the Medicare program, proposed 2/11/99

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

House
Senate
HCFA

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Tricia Hollis		<input type="checkbox"/>
Tracy Fox		<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Ketch		<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephanie Patrick		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Signature M. Stephanie Patrick Date March 15, 2000

Printed Name and Title M. Stephanie Patrick, Vice President of Government Relations

Registrant Name The American Dietetic Association Client Name n/a

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S1233, HRI906 -- Agriculture, Rural Development, Food & Drug Administration and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2000

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

House
Senate
USDA

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
<u>Tricia Hollis</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Tracy Fox</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Stephanie Patrick</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature *M. Stephanie Patrick* Date March 15, 2000
Printed Name and Title M. Stephanie Patrick, Vice President of Government Relations

Registrant Name The American Dietetic Association Client Name n/a

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

USDA, DHHS -- Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee looking to revise 1995 Dietary Guidelines; Nutrition Policy; Biotechnology
USDA -- Irradiation of Meat and Meat Products, proposed 2/24/99
FDA -- Irradiation in the Production, Processing and Handling of Food, proposed 2/17/99
FDA -- Food Labeling, Health Claims, Soy Protein and Coronary Heart Disease proposed 11/10/98
FDA -- Regulation of Dietary Supplements; Biotechnology; Implementation

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

FDA, USDA, DHHS

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Tracy Fox		<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephanie Patrick		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Signature M. Stephanie Patrick Date March 15, 2000

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Tracy Fox

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature M. S. Patrick Date MARCH 15, 2000
Printed Name and Title M. Stephanie Patrick, Vice President of Government Relations