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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Susan H. Lent	202-887-4000		682-22
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self The State University of New York			6. House ID # 31784

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-Dec

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

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

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p><b>INCOME</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>340,000</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</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 style="text-align: center;"><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p><b>EXPENSES</b> 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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6011 of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date February 13, 2004

Printed Name and Title Susan H. Lent, Partner

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Registrant Name Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P. Client Name The State University of New York

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant is 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 BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

FY 2004 VA-HUD Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); FY 2004 Labor-HHS Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); FY 2004 Commerce-Justice-State Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); FY 2004 Energy-Transportation Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); FY 2004 Department of Defense Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); FY 2004 Transportation-Treasury Appropriations Bill (Pub.L. 108-199); higher education issues

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

U.S. House of Representatives  
U.S. Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Christopher C. Brown	
Beth Ann Bryan	
Anthony Foti	
Susan H. Lent	
Bill Paxon	
Paul G. Scolese	
John M. Simmons	

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

Signature *Susan Lent* Date February 13, 200

