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## LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name <b>PRESTON GATES ELLIS &amp; ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address <b>1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW SUITE 500</b> City <b>WASHINGTON</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20006</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <b>TERRI PAULK</b>	Telephone <b>202 628 1700</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>TERRIP@PRESTONGATES.COM</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>32098-101</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>BROWN-FORMAN CORP.</b>			6. House ID # <b>31355004</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  **OR** Year End (July 1-De

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 Lobby

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<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"/> &gt;&gt; \$ <u>\$80,000.00</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><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"/> &gt;&gt; \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of:</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 603 the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title **EMANUEL ROUVELAS - ATTORNEY** \_\_\_\_\_ Pa

Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

Client Name: BROWN-FORMAN CORP.

**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 ADV (one per page)
- 16. Specific Lobbying issues  
**Made contacts regarding participating in public service announcements on underage drinking and driving**

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>ROUVELAS, EMANUEL</b>	

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 05/10/2017

Printed Name and Title EMANUEL ROUVELAS - ATTORNEY Pa

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15. General issue area code **TAX** (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**H.R.2023, To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the rate of tax on distilled spirits to its p  
H.R.4520, The American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, the base period provisions.  
Monitor for any legislation affecting the Section 5010 Wine Credit.**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  
**House of Representatives  
Senate**

Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>COAKLEY, CHRIS</b>	<b>Executive Assistant for Rep. Richard Gephardt</b>
<b>CONNER, DARRELL</b>	
<b>EVANS, MICHAEL</b>	<b>Chief Cnsl &amp; Dep. Staff Director - Senate Fin Com</b>
<b>GARVIE, PAMELA</b>	
<b>GORTON, SLADE</b>	<b>U.S. Senator</b>
<b>MEEDS, LLOYD</b>	
<b>MORSE, ROGER</b>	<b>Legislative Director to Cong. Van Hilleary</b>

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Check if None

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	MOSHER, SOL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	O'NEIL, MICHAEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	ROUVELAS, EMANUEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	SCANLON, MICHAEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	SEE, CHAD
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	STEPHENS, DENNIS
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	THOMAS, W. DAVID
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	VALENTINE, STEVEN
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No



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15. General issue area code **TOR** (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**S.1751 , Class Action Fairness Act of 2003, proposed amendment to the bill's effective date to apply its reform cases where judge has not yet certified the class.**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

**House of Representatives**

**Senate**

**White House**

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<b>GARVIE, PAMELA</b>	
<b>GORTON, SLADE</b>	<b>U.S. Senator</b>
<b>HEIMAN, BRUCE</b>	
<b>MARKWOOD, TRICIA</b>	

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Check if None

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 06/10/2009

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18b	Covered Official Position	Legislative Director to Cong. Van Hilleary
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	ROBITAILLE, YVETTE
18b	Covered Official Position	LC for Rep. Duncan Hunter
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	ROUVELAS, EMANUEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	SABO, MELANIE
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	SCANLON, MICHAEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	STEPHENS, DENNIS
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	THOMAS, W. DAVID
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15. General issue area code TRD (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**Made contacts on US-EU negotiations on wine-making methods and use of semi-generic terms.**

**Made contacts on Turkey using its superior alcohol regulations to block market access for Tennessee whiskey bourbon.**

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


**Department of State  
House of Representatives  
Senate  
USTR**

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>GARVIE, PAMELA</b>	
<b>MOSHER, SOL</b>	

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Signature: 

Signature  Date 05/18/2007

Printed Name and Title EMANUEL ROUVELAS - ATTORNEY Page