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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Federation of Teachers			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 555 New Jersey Ave., NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Washington DC 20001 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Kristor Cowan	(202) 879-4452	tcowan@aft.org	2332-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
			32193000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 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 Lobbyi

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small>	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ 326,966 <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small>
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting method. See instructions for description of method. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H. Con. Res 393 Budget Resolution for FY 2005	HR 685 Budget Resolution Revision
S. Con Res 95 Budget Resolution for FY 2005	
HR 2660 Labor HHS-Education Appropriations FY 2005	
HR 4850 DC Appropriations FY 2005	
HR 4667 Budget Process	
HR 4663 Budget Enforcement	

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

House
Senate

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Jodie Finland	
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15. General issue area code DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 1166 National Security Personnel System Act
HR 1588 National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2004


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House
Senate
Department of Defense

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2211 Ready to Teach Act	S504 American History and Civics Education Act
HR 438 Teacher Recruitment Retention Act	Title IX
HR 2210 School Readiness Act	HR 2765 FY 04 DC Appropriations
HR 1261 Workforce Reinvestment and Adult Education Act	S1583 FY 04 DC Appropriations
S 1248 HR 1350 IDEA	HR 2556 DC Parental Choice Incentive Act
S8 Educational Excellence for All Learners Act	HR 2673 Omnibus Appropriations Bill
HR 236 Student Bill of Rights	S 2654 Kindergarten Plus Act of 2004
HR 282 Education Freedom Act	HR 4283 College Access and Opportunity Act of 2004

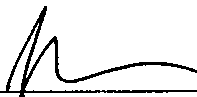
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15. General issue area code EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 3077 International Studies in Higher Education Act	HR 4605, S 2542 No Child Left Behind Fairness Act
HR 4409 Teacher Training Enhancement	HR 236, S 2428 Student Bill of Rights
No Child Left Behind	
S 1793 College Quality, Affordability, and Diversity Improvement Act	
S 2340 Capacity to Learn for All Students and Schools Act	
HR 4496 Vocational and Technical Education for the Future Act	
S 2335 Preparing, Recruiting and Refraining Educational Professionals Act	
S2686 Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Improvement Act of 2004	


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

16. Specific lobbying issues

P. L. 108-25 Africa Aids Relief


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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 745, S 373 Safe Nursing and Patient Care Act of 2003
HR 663, S720 Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act
HR 953, S 486 Senator Paul Wellstone Mental Health Equitable Treatment Act of 2003
P.L. 108-25 Africa AIDS Relief
HR 680 Small Business Health Fairness Act of 2003
HR 918, S 453 Patient Navigator, Outreach and Chronic Disease Prevention Act of 2003
HR 1463 Smallpox Emergency Personnel Protection Act of 2003
HR 4316 Nurse Staffing Issues

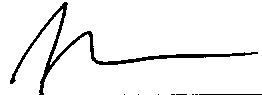
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15. General issue area code IND (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2691 House Interior Appropriations Bill FY 2004
S 1391 Senate Interior Appropriations Bill FY 2004
HR 4568

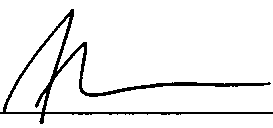
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Senate
Bureau of Indian Affairs

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 745, S373 Safe Nursing and Patient Care Act of 2003 Labor Dept. Overtime Proposal House Amendment 220 to HR 2660 S317, HR 1119 Family Time Flexibility Act OSHA Application to state employees LM-2's HR 4316 Safe Nurse Staffing Issues S 317 Flex Time	HR 2728 OSH Small Employer Access Justice Act S 2370 Minimum Wage
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House Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S1, HR1 Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003
HR 2 Jobs and Growth Reconciliation Tax Act of 2003
School Medicaid Problems
Child Healthcare Program (SCHIP)
Medicaid Reform
FMAP Relief Program
HR 3767, S 2257 Medicare Prescription Drug Savings and Choice Act of 2004

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House
Senate
U. S. Dept. of Health and Human Services

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1776 Pension Preservation and Savings Expansion Act of 2003
Social Security Privatization
HR 3108, S 2005 Pension Tax Incentives and Reform

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 8 Death Tax Repeal
HR 717, HR 930, S856 America's Better Classroom Act
HR 2, S1054 Jobs and Growth Reconciliation Tax Act of 2003
HR 1308 All American Tax Relief Act of 2003 (Child Credit)
HR 1336, S886 Mortgage Insurance Fairness Act of 2003
HR 1637 FSC repeal
HR 49, S156 Internet Taxation
HR 2896, S 1637 FSC Repeal


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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2739 United States-Singapore Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act
HR 2738 United States-Chile Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act
CAFE Trade Agreement

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 1853 Extension of UC benefit
HR1652
S23
HR2183


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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 4 Personal Responsibility and Individual Development for Everyone Act

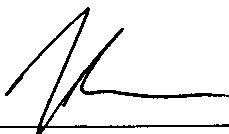
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15. General issue area code TOR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 2062 Class Action Fairness Act

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Senate

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