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LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW WASHINGTON DC 20006 SUITE 500			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name ROSANNE PHILLIPS	Telephone 202-628-1700	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 32098-366
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self MICROSOFT CORPORATION	6. House ID # 31355019		

TYPE OF REPORT B. Year 2000 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$220,000.00</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>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"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input 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(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

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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 CPI (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
**S.2448, Internet Integrity and Critical Infrastructure Protection Act of 2000,
H.R.4246, Cyber Security Information Act,
Competition in the software industry.**

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
BRANDT, WERNER		No
PIZZELLA, PATRICK		No
ROUVELAS, EMANUEL		No
VALENTINE, STEVEN	Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith	No
BERGER, AMY		No

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

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
**H.R.354, Collection of Information Antiprivacy Act,
H.R. 4690, Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2001,
relating to copyright and patent issues. House Amendment 889 to H.R. 4690, to increase funding for the U.S. Patent and
Trademark Offices.**

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PIZZELLA, PATRICK		No
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VALENTINE, STEVEN	Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith	Yes
HEIMAN, BRUCE		No
ROUVELAS, EMANUEL		No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
S.854, Electronic Rights for the 21st Century Act,
S.2448, Internet Integrity and Critical Infrastructures Protection Act of 2000,
S.2063, Secure Online Communication Enforcement Act of 2000,
S.761, Third Millennium Digital Commerce Act,
H.R.1714, Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act,

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

S.2945, American Competitiveness in the Twenty-first Century Act of 2000,
H.R.4227, Technology Worker Temporary Relief Act,
H.R.3983, Helping to Improve Technology Education and Achievement Act of 2000,

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<u>PIZZELLA, PATRICK</u>		No
<u>SLOMOWITZ, ALAN</u>		No
<u>VALENTINE, STEVEN</u>	<u>Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith</u>	Yes
<u>HEIMAN, BRUCE</u>		No
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- 15. General issue area code LBR (one per page)
- 16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.3462, Wealth Through the Workplace Act of 1999,

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<u>PIZZELLA, PATRICK</u>		<u>Yes</u>
<u>VALENTINE, STEVEN</u>	<u>Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith</u>	<u>Yes</u>

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
S.2775, Internet Tax Moratorium and Equity Act,
S.2401, New Economy Tax Simplification Act (NETSA),
H.R.4462, Fair and Equitable Interstate Tax Compact Simplification Act of 2000,
H.R.4460, Internet Tax Simplification Act of 2000,
H.R.4267, Internet Tax Reform and Reduction Act of 2000,
H.R.3709, Internet Nondiscrimination Act of 2000.

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BRANDT, WERNER		No
VALENTINE, STEVEN	Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith	Yes
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15. General issue area code TEC (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.1686, Internet Freedom Act,
H.R.1685, Internet Growth and Development Act of 1999,
FCC Dkt. No. 99-168, Service Rules for the 746-765 and 776-794 MH Bands and Revisions to Part 27 of the Commission's Rules.

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<u>VALENTINE, STEVEN</u>	<u>Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith</u>	<u>Yes</u>

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
S.2277, To terminate the application of title IV of the Trade Act of 1974 with respect to the People's Republic of China,
S.2645, China Nonproliferation Act,
H.R.4444, To authorize extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the People's Republic of China,
World Trade Organization (a) Agreement on Trade-Related Intellectual Property Rights (b) Post-Seattle WTO Ministerial Meeting related commerce and trade issues.

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House of Representatives
Senate

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<u>BRANDT, WERNER</u>		<u>No</u>
<u>PIZZELLA, PATRICK</u>		<u>No</u>
<u>SLOMOWITZ, ALAN</u>		<u>Yes</u>
<u>VALENTINE, STEVEN</u>	<u>Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith</u>	<u>Yes</u>

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