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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name

Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported

3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)

City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) D.C. 20007

4. Contact Name: Brian Fitzgerald
Telephone: (202) 424-7500
E-mail (optional):

5. Senate ID: 37460-90

7. Client Name ☐ Self

AMCO Automated Systems, Inc. (subsidiary of American Meter Company)

6. House I: 31419048

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☒ **OR** Year End (July 1-Dece

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** 13

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☒ ⇨ $ 20,000
Income (nearest $20,000)

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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this r period were:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☐ ⇨ $_____
Expenses (nearest $

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indi accounting method. See instructions for description

☐ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA def

☐ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6 the Internal Revenue Code

☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code

Signature_____

Printed Name and Title Brian Fitzgerald, Partner

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Registrant Name Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP Client Name AMCO Automated Systen

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which tl engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each c** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Monitoring of the energy bill (S. 597, the Energy and Tax Incentives Act of 2003) regarding m standards.

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)
Brian Fitzgerald	
Gary Gallant	

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

Ruhrgas AG has a financial interest in the potential impact of the energy bill on its subsidiary.

Signature 8-8-2

Printed Name and Title Brian Fitzgerald, Partner

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