

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS - AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNAL MEDICINE

2. Address:

2011 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW #800, WASHINGTON, DC 20006

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

4. Contact Name: ROBIN CHICHESTER

Telephone: 202-261-4558

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Senate ID #: 2002-12

House ID #: 32190000

7. Client Name: Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2002 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

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more: => 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 reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 1,060,000.00

14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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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: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

FY'03 Appropriations (Labor/HHS/Education and VA Research and Medical Care funding and Bioterrorism) FY'04 Omnibus Appropriations Flu Vaccine Availability Act of 2001 - H.R.943 Antibiotic Resistance Prevention Act of 2001 - H.R.1771 Smallpox Vaccination policy Underserved Adult and Adolescent Immunization Act of 2001 - H.R.2598 Bipartisan Patient Bill of Rights - S.1052/H.R.526/H.R.2663 Federal District Court order requiring Peer Review Organizations(PROs) to release physician information. Support for funding to expand the existing public programs such as Medicaid and SCHIP to expand coverage for the uninsured(S.2679) Health Insurance Flexibility and Affordability(HIFA)Initiative Medicare Education and Regulatory Fairness Act of 2001(MERFA)-H.R.868 Medicare Regulatory and Contracting Reform Act of 2001.S.1738 Privacy Rule-HIPAA Extension for standard transaction and code set regulations under HIPAA Administrative Simplification Compliance Act of 2001 - S.1684,H.R.1684 COBRA Plus Act of 2001 Economic Recovery and Assistance for American Workers Act of 2001 Geriatric Care Act-S.775 The Disabled Veterans Service Dog and Health Care Improvement Act of 2001-H.R.2792 Funding to protect all americans against Bioterrorism. Bioterrorism Preparedness Act of 2001(BioPact)S.1747 Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Response Act of 2001-H.R.3448 Liability Health Act-H.R.4600 Anti-trust Improvements-H.R.3897 Patient Safety&Quality Improvement-S.2590 J-1 Visas-S.2674

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

Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

President of the U.S.

SENATE

White House Office

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

Name: BAKER, BRETT

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DOHERTY, ROBERT

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DUMOULIN, JOHN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: GINSBURG, JACK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: GORDEN, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HOPE, PATRICK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PREWITT, ELIZABETH

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PRICE, ANDREA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: TRACHTMAN, RICH

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Medicare Modernization and Prescription Drug Coverage, Medicare Reform Act of 2001 (S.1135 and S.358) Medicare Physician Payment Fairness Act of 2001 (S.1707/H.R.3351) CMS Rule"FiveYear Review of work Related Value Units under the Physicians Fee Schedule. Evaluation and Management(E/M)Services Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor(EMTALA)

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GORDEN, MARK
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Name: HOPE, PATRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: PREWITT, ELIZABETH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: PRICE, ANDREA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: TRACHTMAN, RICH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 10, 2003

Printed Name and Title: ELIZABETH PREWITT - DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC POLICY

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Name: ALLEN, BARBARA

Name: COHN, DEBRA

Name: HADDAD, KATHLEEN

Name: LILLY, SUSAN REICH

Name: MIKOLANIS, SHARON

Name: NELSON, ALAN

Name: SHAPIRO, HOWARD

Name: WERNER, MICHAEL

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is NO LONGER affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 10, 2003

Printed Name and Title: ELIZABETH PREWITT - Director, Governmental Affairs and Public Policy