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# LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Donald R. Pongrace	Telephone 202-887-4000	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 682-42
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Gila River Indian Community			6. House ID # 317841

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-

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 Line 13

**12. Lobbying Firms**  
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000   
\$10,000 or more  ⇒ \$ 680,000  
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 reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000   
\$10,000 or more  ⇒ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definition  
 **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 603 Internal Revenue Code  
 **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date August 15, 2005

Printed Name and Title Donald R. Pongrace, Partner  
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Registrant Name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP Client Name Gila River Indian Community

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Congressional appropriation for construction of irrigation project; legislative riders affecting Native American possible funding for education; binding arbitration legislation (H.R. 4577); tribal homeland security funding legislation (H.R. 3266/S. 578); tribal issues; land consolidation issues (S. 1721); tribal pension legislation 2831/H.R. 3605); tribal tax-exempt bonding authority

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

- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department of the Interior
- U.S. Department of Justice

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

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Katherine D. Brodie	Barney J. Skladany	Ado A. Machida	
Smith W. Davis	James R. Tucker, Jr.	Alan D. Cohn	
Anthony Foti	José Villarreal		
Joel Jankowsky	Todd J. Araujo		
John Pitts	Bill Paxon		
Donald R. Pongrace	John M. Simmons		
Steven R. Ross	Allison C. Binney		
	Stephen J. McHugh		

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date August 15, 2005

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Water rights settlement legislation (H.R. 885, S. 437)

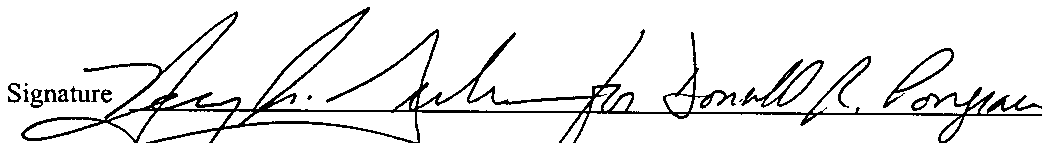
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Todd J. Araujo	Stephen J. McHugh	Henry A. Terhune	
Allison C. Binney	John Pitts	José Villarreal	
Katherine D. Brodie	Bill Paxon		
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Joel Jankowsky	John M. Simmons		
Charles W. Johnson, IV	Barney J. Skladany		
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