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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization		American Maritime Officers	
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address1 490 L'Enfant Plaza East, SW, Suite 7204			
City	Washington	State	DC
Zip Code	20024	Country	USA
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City	Washington	State	DC
Zip Code	20024	Country	USA
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Thomas J. Bethel	202-479-1166	jbranthover@amo-union.org
7. Client Name		5. Senate ID #	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self		2844-12	
American Maritime Officers		6. House ID #	
		32768000	

**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	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____	\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ 260,000
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Revenue Code

Form Complete &gt;

Printed Name and Title Thomas J. Bethel, National Executive Vice President

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Registrant Name American Maritime OfficersClient Name American Maritime Officers

**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,** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code MAR - Marine/Maritime/Boating/Fisheries (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.5010 - "Department of Defense Appropriations Act of 2003" - A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes. Lobbied members and staff of the House Appropriations committee.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ None ☒ House ☐ Senate ☒ Other

Maritime Administration (MARAD), Transportation, Dept of (DOT), U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), Defense, Dept of (DOD)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for this*

First Name	Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
	Last Name	Suffix	
Thomas	Bethel		National Executive Vice President
Charles	Crangle		Exec. Director Congressional & Legislative Affairs
Edward	Kelly		National Vice President, At Large

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

*Add a page for a different*

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**ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area MAR**

**16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)**

Met with the United States Coast Guard on the Lease- Finance controversy, in respects to the Coast Guard authorization bill in 1996 which loosened the rules for the participation of foreign financial institutions in the financing of maritime cabotage assets.

Transportation/Treasury Appropriations bill for fiscal year 2005: Worked with the American Shipbuilding Association to help ensure that certain vessel construction be performed in U.S. shipyards. Lobbied members staff of the Senate Appropriations committee.

Met with the Maritime Administration (MARAD) and Department of Transportation (DOT) staff members on various issues concerning the membership of American Maritime Officers.P.L.-480 Program, Title XI (Shipbuilding Loans Guarantees), Ship disposal and the Maritime Security Program.

Met with the United States Coast Guard (USCG) on various issues concerning the membership of American Maritime Officers, mariner licensing and medical documentation, mariner and vessel protection, and Great Lakes ice-breaking.

Met with the Department of Defense (DOD) regarding the U.S. Navy's Military Sealift Command and contract mariner jobs.

There were non-active periods in July 1-5, July 26-31, the entire month of August, September 1-3 and 16, October 4-31, November 15-30 and the full month of December of 2002.

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Registrant Name American Maritime OfficersClient Name American Maritime Officers**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

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**ISSUE UPDATE**24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

Find the code to select below.

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State Country
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

1

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**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owners percent client
	City	State/Province Country	City		
			State Country		

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

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