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Secretary of the Senate Received: Feb 13, 2001

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

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2. Address: 1401 H ST #700, WASHINGTON, DC 20005
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): City: AUBURN HILLS State/Zip(or Country): MI 48326
4. Contact Name: ROBERT LIBERATORE Telephone: 202-414-6747 E-mail (optional): rgl1@daimlerchrysler.com
Senate ID #: 49043-12 House ID #: 34607-000
7. Client Name: 🗵 Self
TYPE OF REPORT
8. 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 0R 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: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 3,675,000.00
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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- 15. General issue area code: AER (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- H.R. 4205/S. 2549 FY 2001 National Defense Authorization Act
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: AUT (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 4145/S. 2070 - Child Passenger Protection Act of 2000 H.R. 4270/S. 2685 - Advanced Technology Motor Vehicle Fuel Economy Act H.R. 534 - Fairness and Voluntary Arbitration Act S. 1020 - Motor Vehicle Franchise Contract Arbitration Fairness Act H.R. 5168 -Transportation Recall Enhancement Accountability, and Documentation Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Energy, Dept of HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Natl Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) SENATE Transportation, Dept of (DOT)

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

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FELRICE, BARRY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JONES, JAKE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: BNK (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 625 Consumer Bankruptcy Act provisions relating to giving secured creditors fair treatment under Chapter 13 proceedings H.R. 833 Bankruptcy Reform Act fair treatment for secured creditors under Chapter 13 proceedings
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: BUD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 4475/S. 2720 - Transportation Appropriations - all provisions relating to NHTSA vehicle safety programs and corporate average fuel economy. S. 1143 - Energy Appropriations - all provisions relating to the partnership for a new generation of vehicles. S. 2168 - VA/HUD Appropriations - all provisions relating to environmental issues and corporate average fuel economy. S. 2334 - Foreign Operations Appropriations - export financing programs. H.R. 4150 - IMF Appropriations Act - export financing and relations programs. H.R. 2490/S. 1282 - Treasury/Postal Appropriations - ACE Customs funding. H.R. 4576/S. 2593 - Defense Appropriations - aerospace provisions.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CRAVEN, WILLIAM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DAY, BRENDA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ESTEREICHER, CHRISTINE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FELRICE, BARRY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MOLNAR, YANCY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: CPI (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 761 Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: BECKER, LINDA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above.

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- 15. General issue area code: CSP (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- H.R. 1875 Interstate Class Action Jurisdiction Act of 1999 S. 353 Class Action Fairness Act of 2000
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above.

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- 15. General issue area code: ENV (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 2720/H.R. 4475 Transportation Appropriations CAFE freeze amendment S.2685/H.R. 4270 Advanced Technology Motor Vehicle Fuel Economy Act H.R. 4578 Interior Appropriations partnership for next generation vehicle funding H.R. 2380 Energy Efficient Technology Tax Act
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Transportation, Dept of (DOT) White House Office
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CRAVEN, WILLIAM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DAY, BRENDA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FELRICE, BARRY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MAHER, ALISA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: FUE (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Petition to the EPA to regulate sulfur in gasoline and to reduce emissions. S. 2337 - Clean Gasoline Act - all provisions

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CRAVEN, WILLIAM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: GOV (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 1816 Open and Accountable Campaign Financing Act of 2000 S. 26/H.R. 417 Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 1999 Democratic and Republican National Conventions - discussions with members regarding DaimlerChrysler events
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: BECKER, LINDA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: CRAVEN, WILLIAM Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: DAY, BRENDA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: ESTEREICHER, CHRISTINE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FELRICE, BARRY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FITZGIBBONS, DENNIS Covered Official Position (if applicable): DEP. MINORITY STAFF DIR., HOUSE COMMERCE COMMITTEE Name: JONES, JAKE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MAHER, ALISA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MOLNAR, YANCY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2990/S, 1344 - Patients' Bill of Rights H.Res. 323 - Patients Bill of Rights Impact of rising prescription drug costs on employer-provided benefits

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: JONES, JAKE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: IMM (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2920 - Amendment to the Illegal Immigration and Immigrant Responsibility Act relating to automated border crossing requirements. S. 1360 - Border Improvement and Immigration and all provisions relating to automated border crossing requirements. S. 745 - Border Improvement Immigration Act of 1999.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MOLNAR, YANCY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: MMM (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Impact of Medicare reform on cost of employer-provided health benefits. S.3017 - Medicare Temporary Drug Assistance Act S. 2807 - Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization S. 2758 - Medicare Outpatient Drug Act

- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: JONES, JAKE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Amendment to omnibus tax bill to provide a hybrid vehicle tax credit

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: DAY, BRENDA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: TRD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Permanent Normal Trade Relations for China (PNTR) China accession to the World Trade Organization (WTO) Eastern European auto tariffs U.S. - Korea auto agreement Japan and Korea trade WTO structure and policy issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Commerce, Dept of (DOC) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Natl Security Council (NSC) SENATE State, Dept of (DOS) Treasury, Dept of U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) White House Office

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

Name: ADCOCK, SAMUEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LIBERATORE, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MAHER, ALISA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBRIDE, TIMOTHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MOLNAR, YANCY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1300 - Brownsfields Bill

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: DAY, BRENDA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: ESTEREICHER, CHRISTINE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 13, 2001

Printed Name and Title: JAKE JONES - SENIOR MANAGER, LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

Client's new name DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORP/DAIMLER BENZ OF WASHINGTON Client's old name DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORP/DAIMLER BENZ OF WASHINTGON

LOBBYIST UPDATE

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

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 13, 2001

Printed Name and Title: Jake Jones - Senior Manager, Legislative Affairs