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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Saks Incorporated			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 750 Lakeshore Parkway			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Birmingham State/Zip (or Country) AL 35211			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Jeffrey C. Martin	(202) 828-2011		48190
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Saks Incorporated			6. House ID # 34556

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 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

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small> 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).	<b>EXPENSES</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>60,000.00</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small> <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

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Registrant Name Saks Incorporated Client Name Saks Incorporated

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Contacted members of the House of Representatives re: Business Activity Tax Simplification Act of 2003 (H.R. 3220).

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

House of Representatives

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Jeffrey C. Martin	N/A

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

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Registrant Name Saks Incorporated Client Name Saks Incorporated

**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

N/A

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

City N/A

State/Zip (or Country) N/A

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

N/A

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**

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

N/A

**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

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**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)
N/A	N/A	N/A

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

N/A

**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

N/A

Signature

*William C. M. [unclear]*

Date

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Printed Name and Title **JW** Jeffrey C. Martin, SVP Compliance and Governmental Affairs

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