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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Health Policy Alternatives, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 400 North Capitol St. NW, Suite 799			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20001			
4. Contact Name Thomas A. Ault		Telephone 202-737-3390	5. Senate 1787
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self AdvaMed		E-mail (optional)	6. House II 3126

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 Lobb

### 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 ☒ ⇒ \$ 100,000  
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 period were:

Less than \$10,000 ☐

\$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenses (near

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

☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA def

☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6 Internal Revenue Code

☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 1 Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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

DEFENDANT NAME AND TITLE \_\_\_\_\_



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Grant Name Health Policy Alternatives Client Name AdvaMed

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Technical assistance on various issues related to Medicare coverage and reimbursement of technology, including the Medicare outpatient prospective payment system and new technology in the inpatient prospective payment system.

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

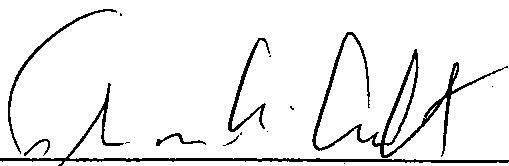
18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Thomas A. Ault	
Barton C. McCann	

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

Signature



Date 3/17/06

Thomas A. Ault, Principal

Printed Name and Title Thomas A. Bates, Principal

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March 17, 2006

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Dear Secretary of the Senate:

Enclosed are amended lobbying reports for the period January-June, 2005. \ originally submitted reports relating to our clients with the box for item 11 unchecked – thereby indicating that lobbying activity had occurred – while the box for numl 17 was checked – thereby indicating we had no lobbying contacts for the period. We took this approach because members of the firm had engaged in "lobbying activities", such as the preparation of background documents for our clients to u in making lobbying contacts, but no one from the firm had made a lobbying conta

However, following up on a notice of an erroneous filing, we were told by someone working either in your office or the office of the Clerk of the House that we should submit amended reports, checking item 11, "No Lobbying Activity," and providing only page one of the report. Apparently this advice was based on the notion that without a lobbying contact, there could be no lobbying activity. We did as instructed. However, we have since learned that this advice was incorrect and that the forms we originally filed were completed correctly. Hence, we are now submitting amended reports that reflect our original approach. These reports are submitted in paper format because they relate to a period for which this format was permitted.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Lunette Arledge  
Office Manager

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