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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Independence Blue Cross Family of Companies			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1901 Market Street, 38th Floor			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Philadelphia State/Zip (or Country) PA 19103			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Lorina Marshall-Blake	(215) 241-2435	lorina.marshall@ibx.com	19172-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 33009000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

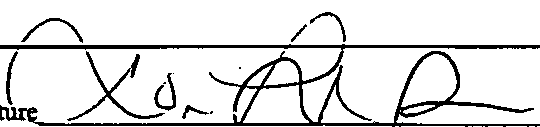
9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇒ Termination Date _____ 11. No Lobbying Act

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p align="center">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>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).</p>	<p align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exp accounting method. See instructions for description of opti</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) o Internal Revenue Code</p>
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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the regis engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, prc information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

MANAGED CARE, ANTI TRUST
MEDICARE
ASSOCIATED HEALTH PLANS
MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT

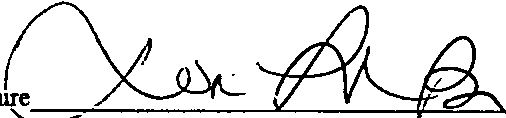
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
U.S. SENATE

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Lorina Marshall-Blake	

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

Signature  Date 7/24/06

Printed Name and Title Lorina Marshall-Blake, Vice President of Government Relations

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Registrant Name Family of Companies Client Name S A M E

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

20. Client new address
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21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)
- City _____ State/Zip (or 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

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

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


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

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owns per cent client

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

Signature  Date 7/21/06

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July 21, 2006

Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
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**RE: INDEPENDENCE BLUE CROSS FAMILY
OF COMPANIES SENATE LOBBYING REPORT**

Dear Clerk:

In compliance with the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, enclosed please find the Form LD-2, Lobbying Report for the following report periods:

- **2006 Mid Year – January 1 - June 30, 2006**

Should you have any questions about the aforementioned report, please contact Lorina Marshall-Blake at 215-241-2435. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Lorina Marshall-Blake
Vice President
Government Relations

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Enclosure

cc: Steve Pingeton

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