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# LOBBYING REPORT

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|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Registrant Name<br><b>Balch &amp; Bingham LLP</b>   |                                    |                                   |
| 2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported<br>Address <b>1275 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W.</b> <b>10th Floor</b><br>City <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20004</b> <b>USA</b> |                                    |                                   |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)<br>City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____   |                                    |                                   |
| 4. Contact Name<br><b>David Dardis</b>   | Telephone<br><b>(202) 347-6000</b> | E-mail (optional)<br>_____        |
| 5. Senate ID #<br><b>5197-75</b>   |                                    |                                   |
| 7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self<br><b>Southern Company</b>  |                                    | 6. House ID #<br><b>31107-005</b> |

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2001 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  **OR** Year End (July 1-Dec

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:  | <b>EXPENSES</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$60,000.00</u><br>Income (nearest \$20,000)  | \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____<br>Expenses (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). | <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method. |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions                                 |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(e) of the Internal Revenue Code    |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code     |

Signature

*Fred Eames*

Date

*8/14/01*



Registrant Name: Balch & Bingham LLP

Client Name: Southern Company

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

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**Electric restructuring issues.**

**H.R. 4, electric restructuring provisions.**

**H.R. 1647, electric restructuring provisions.**

**H.R. 2814, electric restructuring provisions.**

**S. 388, electric restructuring provisions.**

**S. 389, electric restructuring provisions.**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

**Department of Energy**

**House of Representatives**

**Senate**

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

| Name                          | Covered Official Position (if applicable)            |
|-------------------------------|--|
| <b>Cunningham, Sean</b>       | <b>Counsel, House Comm on Govt Reform</b>            |
| <b>Dardis, David</b>          |  |
| <b>Eames, Fred</b>            |  |
| <b>McCormick III, Patrick</b> |  |
| <b>Remington, Kristi</b>      | <b>Senior Counsel, House Government Reform Commi</b> |
|                               |  |
|                               |  |

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

Check if None

Signature

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Registrant Name: **Balch & Bingham LLP**

Client Name: **Southern Company**

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

20. Client new address

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  
**Cunningham, Sean**

**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 Bu<br>(city and state or cou |
|------|---------|---|
|      |         |   |

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<br>(city and state or country) | Amount of contribution<br>for lobbying activities |
|------|---------|--|---|
|      |         |  |   |

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

Signature

*Fred Eames*

Date

*8/14/01*

