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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobby Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration 1. Effective Date of Registration 09/01

2. House Identification Number _____ Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name The Wexler Group

Address 1317 F Street, NW, Suite 600

City Washington State DC Zip 20004

4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)
City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

5. Telephone number and contact name
(202) 662-3714 Contact Cynthia Berry, Principal & General Counsel E-mail _____

6. General description of registrant's business or activities
Lobbying firm

CLIENT *A Lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should check labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* Self

7. Client name S.M. Lahey & Associates

Address 4550 Capri Way

City Sacramento State CA Zip 9582

8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)
City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

9. General description of client's business or activities

LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person listed in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first acting as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
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Registrant Name The Wexler Group Client Name S.M. Lahey & Associates

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, page 1.

BUD LAW

12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Prison Privatization & Funding issues
HR 2215, HR 2500 & S 1191

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in a semiannual period and in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

No \Rightarrow Go to line 14. Yes \downarrow Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

| Name | Address | Principal Place of Business (city and state or county) |
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| NONE | | |

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the lobbying activity?

No \Rightarrow Sign and date the registration. Yes \downarrow Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then sign and date the registration.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities | Ownership percentage in client |
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Signature Cynthia E. Berry Date 10/10/01

Printed Name and Title Cynthia Berry, Principal and General Counsel

