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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1401 Eye Street, N.W., Suite 220			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Steven Akey	(202) 354-8220		
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
Self			

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2001 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
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:
Less than \$10,000
\$10,000 or more ⇒ \$ _____
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 reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000
\$10,000 or more ⇒ \$ 2,320,000.00
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of
 Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition
 Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code
 Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____



Printed Name and Title _____

Steven Akey, Division Vice President, Government Affairs



Registrant Name Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc. Client Name Self

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 information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Any hearings, legislation or other congressional activity related to automobile and automobile equipment safety recalls and safety standards; implementation of the TREAD ACT (Pub. L. No. 106-414 (2002)).

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Transportation

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Steven Akey	

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

Signature  Date 2/13/02

Printed Name and Title Steven Akey, Division Vice President, Government Affairs

