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November 6, 2000

Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
232 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Re: Chamber of Commerce of the United States; No. 24123-746

Dear Secretary:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States is an original and one copy of Form LD-2, *amending* this Firm's semi-annual report, covering the period January 1, 2000 through June 30, 2000, originally filed in August, 2000.

A postage-prepaid, self-addressed envelope is also enclosed for the return of a file-stamped copy of our submission.

Sincerely,



Kenneth S. Geller

Enclosures

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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Mayer, Brown & Platt	
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1909 K Street, N.W.	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006-1101	
4. Contact Name Kenneth S. Geller Telephone 202/263-3000 E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 24123-746
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Chamber of Commerce of the United States	8. House ID # 31349-067

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) **XXX** 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 Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES --- Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> \Rightarrow <u>\$70,000</u> <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> \Rightarrow \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature *Kenneth S. Geller*

Printed Name and Title **Kenneth S. Geller, Esq. -- Partner**

Registrant Name Mayer, Brown & Platt

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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 GOV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Various issues concerning, but not limited to, preemption and federalism bills and tort reform.

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

U.S. Senate and U.S. House of Representatives

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

Name	Covered Office Position (if applicable)	New
For reporting period:		
John P. Schmitz		<input type="checkbox"/>
Charles A. Rothfeld		<input type="checkbox"/>
Penny L. Eastman		<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark H. Gitenstein		<input type="checkbox"/>
Jeffrey H. Lewis		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Signature *Kenneth S. Geller*

Date 7/31/00

Printed Name and Title Kenneth S. Geller, Esq. - Partner

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