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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name				
Organization	The American Council of Engineering Companies			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported				
Address 1	1015 15th Street NW, 8th Floor			
City	Washington	State	DC	Zip Code 20005
Country US				
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)				
City		State		Zip Code
City		State/Zip or Country		Country
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number		c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name			
Mr.	Steve Hall	(202) 682-4309	shall@acec.org	
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self				5. Senate ID #
self				2046-1
				6. House ID #
				330750

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)
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"/> ⇒ \$ _____</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 type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>867,646</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exp accounting method. See instructions for description of opt</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(1) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Revenue Code</p>
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Form C

Printed Name and Title Steve Hall, Vice President, Government Affairs

Registrant Name The American Council of Engineering Cor Client Name self

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the 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 AVI - Aviation/Aircraft/Airlines (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

HR 5025, Transportation and Treasury Appropriations Act for 2004, provisions related to funding the Airport Improvement Program

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

House of Representatives
Senate
US Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
TJ	Schulz		
Steve	Hall		

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

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15. General issue area code BUD - Budget/Appropriations (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

HR 4837, Military Construction Appropriations Act of 2005
HR 5025, Transportation and Treasury, provisions related to funding for highways, transit
HR 5041, VA/HUD and Independent Agencies Appropriations for 2004, provisions related to environmental funding programs, including the Clean Water and Safe Drinking Water SRF programs, Superfund/hazardous waste clean-up programs

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

House of Representatives
Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Tom	McNulty		
TJ	Schulz		
Steve	Hall		

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15. General issue area code CAW - Clean Air & Water (Quality) (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue

HR 1560, Water Quality Financing Act of 2003
HR 20, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003
S 170, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003

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

House of Representatives
Senate

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Tom	McNulty		
Steve	Hall		

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15. General issue area code ENG - Energy/Nuclear (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

HR 6, Energy Omnibus bill provisions regarding the reauthorization of the Price Anderson Act

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

House of Representatives
Senate

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Tom	McNulty		
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15. General issue area code ENV - Environmental/Superfund (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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HR 1560, Water Quality Financing Act of 2003
HR 20, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003
S 170, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003
S 2773/HR 2557, the Water Resources Development Act (WRDA)

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

House of Representatives
Senate

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15. General issue area code GOV - Government Issues (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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Federal procurement reform -- all annual appropriations and authorization bills that contain language seeking to improve the manner in which federal government agencies contract with the private sector, including all provisions dealing with OMB Circular A-76 and outsourcing, and the selection of engineering services by federal agencies

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

House of Representatives
Senate
Department of the Interior
Executive Office of the President
US Army Corps of Engineers/Naval Facilities Command

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First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Camille	Fleenor		
Steve	Hall		

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15. General issue area code LBR - Labor Issues/Antitrust/Workplace (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

Fair Labor Standards Act proposed reform regulations at the US Department of Labor; S 237 (FLSA reform legislation); HR 5006 FY'05 Labor/HHS/Education appropriations bill -- House/Senate floor amendments pertaining to FLSA reform

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

US Department of Labor
House of Representatives
Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Steve	Hall		
Alex	Shively		

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15. General issue area code ROD - Roads/Highway (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

HR 5025, Transportation and Treasury Appropriations for 2004, provisions related to highway, transit funding
HR 3550, TEA-21 reauthorization, including funding levels, environmental streamlining, procurement issues.

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

House of Representatives
Senate
US Department of Transportation

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TJ	Schulz		
Steve	Hall		

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15. General issue area code SMB - Small Business (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue

HR 660/S 5454, the Small Business Health Fairness Act of 2003,
Proposed Small Business Administration size standards

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

House of Representatives
Senate
Small Business Administration

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Roger	Jordan		
Steve	Hall		

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue

HR 2814 (cash accounting); preserving Section 911 of the tax code in HR 2; HR 8, Death Tax Repeal Pemanency Act.
HR 4520, provisions related to tax credits/deductions for architect and engineering firms for projects located in the US.
HR 8, repeal of the estate tax.

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

House of Representatives
Senate

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Steve	Hall		
Alex	Shively		

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15. General issue area code TRA - Transportation (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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TEA-21 reauthorization, including funding levels, environmental streamlining, procurement issues.

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Senate
US Department of Transportation

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Steve	Hall		

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

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

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

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

First Name

Last Name

1

3

2

4

ISSUE UPDATE

Find the code to select below.

24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State
	Address	Country
	C/S/Z	City
		State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

1

2

3

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	On pe cli
	City	State/Province	Country		
			City		
			State		
			Country		

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

1

3

5

2

4

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Add a page for more

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