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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW SUITE 500 City WASHINGTON State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name TERRI PAULK	Telephone 202 628 1700	E-mail (optional) TERRIP@PRESTONGATES.COM	5. Senate ID # 32098-1317
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Amer. Society for Therapeutic Radiology & Oncology			6. House ID # 313551124

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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 Activities ☐

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$20,000.00</u> <div style="text-align: right;">Income (nearest \$20,000)</div>	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ <div style="text-align: right;">Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</div>
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____ Date 02/13/2004

Printed Name and Title MARK RUGE - ATTORNEY Pa

Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

Client Name: Amer. Society for Therapeutic Radiology & Oncology

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 MMM (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R.1, S.1, Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003, Medicare reimbursement for Non-Work Pool services; skilled nursing facility reimbursement.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted
Department of Health & Human Services/CMS
House of Representatives
Senate

☐ Check if None


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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
COAKLEY, CHRIS	Executive Assistant for Rep. Richard Gephardt
COOPER, STEPHEN	
RUGE, MARK	
THOMAS, W. DAVID	

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

☒ Check if None

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Signature 1  Date 02/13/2004

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