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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name United Distillers & Vinters North America			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1301 K Street, NW, 1000 East Tower			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <u>Stamford</u> State/Zip (or Country) <u>CT 06901</u>			
4. Contact Name Mike Bertman	Telephone 202-715-1115	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 49830-12
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 34572000		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 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 Activity

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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>350,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000): _____ 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

ONDCP appropriations

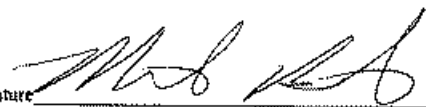
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House
Senate
Office of National Drug Control Policy
Department of Health and Human Services
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse & Alcoholism
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Peter Seremet	SVP - External Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
Carolyn Panzer	SVP - Public Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mike Bertman	Director of Federal & Int'l Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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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 AIC (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Distilled Spirits products information
- Drunk driving/transportation issues
- Alcohol research issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

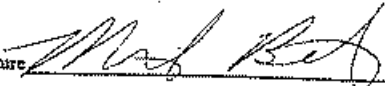
Check if None

- House
- Senate
- White House Executive Office of Domestic Policy
- Office of National Drug Control Policy
- Department of Health and Human Services
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism
- Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration
- National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
- Federal Trade Commission

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2314 to amend the Clean Air Act with regard to emissions from aging warehouses


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House
Senate
Environmental Protection Agency

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S.434 - Distilled Spirits Tax Simplification Act

H.R.716 - Distilled Spirits Tax Simplification Act

Simplify taxes on alcohol used in manufacture of non-beverage products (drawback); no specific bill

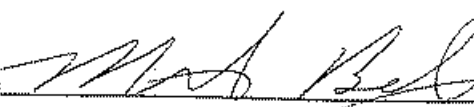
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- White House
- Department of Treasury
- Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4171 - Regulation of Distilled Spirits as a hazardous material for transportation

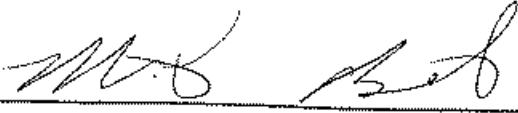
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15. General issue area code TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

China: import tariffs and distribution rights; APEC: regional tariff, tax and other barriers to distilled spirits; Chile: WTO complaint against liquor tax discrimination; Latin America: regional tariff, tax and other barriers to distilled spirits; Russia: removal of restrictions on imported distilled spirits; WTO: tariff elimination for spirits in agricultural market access negotiations; WTO geographical designations for distinctive distilled spirits; U.S. customs and administrative requirements for imported beverage alcohol products.

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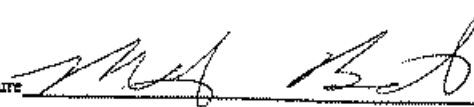
House
Senate
Department of Treasury
Department of Agriculture
U.S. Customs Service
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms

Office of U.S. Trade Representative
Department of Commerce
Department of State
Department of Defense

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

20. Client new address

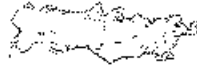
21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or 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



ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s).

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

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

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client
Diageo	8 Henrietta Place	London, England	-0-	100%

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

Signature Date 7/10/00
 Printed Name and Title Mike Bertman, Director of Federal & International Affairs