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**1. Registrant Name**  Organization  Individual  
BENCHMARKS, INC.

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**2. Address**  Check if different than previously reported  
 Address1 3248 PROSPECT STREET, NW Address2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 City WASHINGTON State DC Zip Code 20007 Cour \_\_\_\_\_

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**3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)**  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Cour \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>4a. Contact Name</b> Mr. <u>THOMAS J. SCANLON</u>	<b>b. Telephone Number</b> <input type="checkbox"/> International Number <u>(202) 965-3983</u>	<b>c. E-mail</b> <u>bnchmrks@aol.com</u>	<b>5. Sen</b> <u>5927</u>
<b>7. Client Name</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Self <u>ALFA CORPORATIVO S.A. DE C.V. (GRUPO ALFA)</u>			<b>6. Hou</b> <u>3483</u>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  Year End (July 1-Dec)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report   
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## INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p><b>12. Lobbying</b></p> <p><b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" 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><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p><b>EXPENSE</b> relating to lobbying activities for this were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162 Revenue Code</p>
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Signature  Digitally Signed By: Thomas J Scanlon Date 01  
US, DST ACES Business Representative, BENCHMARKS INC., Thomas J Scanlon

Printed Name and Title Thomas J. Scanlon, President

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Registrant BENCHMARKS, INC.

Client Name ALFA CORPORATIVO S.A. DE C.V. (GRUPO ALFA)

**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   (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

none

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

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

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
First	Last	Suffix	
Thomas J.	Scanlon		

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

Printed Name and Title Thomas J. Scanlon, President

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