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LOBBYING REPORT

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

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

1. Registrant Name: **BKSH & ASSOCIATES** 1801 KISTINW ISTE 901-L, WASHINGTON, DC 20006 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): 4. Contact Name: SHARON BALKAM Telephone: 202-530-0500 E-mail (optional): sharon_balkam@was.bm.com Senate ID #: 6291-874 House ID #: 33118043 7. Client Name: Self TRAVEL BUSINESS ROUNDTABLE TYPE OF REPORT __ 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: -\$10,000 or more: X => Income (nearest \$20,000): 120,000.00 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: -\$10,000 or more: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000); 14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

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Registrant Name: BKSH & ASSOCIATES Client Name: TRAVEL BUSINESS ROUNDTABLE

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: BUD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Fy '05 Appropriations for the Departments of Labor, HHS, Education and Related Agencies and the Departments of Commerce, Justice and State

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: BROWN, PAUL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRIESS, KATHERINE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERIN, CHARLES L.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WEBB, HEATHER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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15. General issue area code: LBR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 728, ADA Notification Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: BROWN, PAUL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRIESS, KATHERINE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERIN, CHARLES L.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WEBB, HEATHER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 1408/H.R. 1313, Spousal Travel Tax Deduction, H.R. 2094 Business Meal Deductibility, H.R. 2047 Work Opportunity Tax Credit
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: BROWN, PAUL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FRIESS, KATHERINE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MERIN, CHARLES L. Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WEBB, HEATHER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Jan 31, 2005

Printed Name and Title: R.SCOTT PASTRICK - PRESIDENT & CEO