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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. Address: 1735 NEW YORK AVE NW #500, WASHINGTON, DC 20006
Principal place of business (if different from line 2):
4. Contact Name: TERRI PAULK Telephone: 202-628-1700 E-mail (optional): terrip@prestongates.com
Senate ID #: 32098-3514 House ID #: 31355-221
7. Client Name: Self
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS (AIA)
TYPE OF REPORT
8. Year 2004 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): 140,000,00
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to th 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.
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

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

Seek inclusion of architectural firms in FSC/ETI legislation.

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: CONNER, DARRELL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: EVANS, MICHAEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHF CNSL/SENATE FIN COMM

Name: GARVIE, PAMELA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: HEIMAN, BRUCE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MEEDS, LLOYD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MORSE, ROGER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEG DIRAVAN HILLEARY

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: RUGE, MARK 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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- 15. General issue area code: TRA (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 3550, Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users, seek to include provisions to improve transportation projects. H.R. 4520 and S. 1637, Jumpstart Our Business Strength (JOBS) Act; American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, seek to include provisions to improve transportation projects. S. 1072, Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2003, seek to include provisions to improve transportation projects. Brownfield's legislation.

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: COAKLEY, CHRIS Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: CONNER, DARRELL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: EVANS, MICHAEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHF CNSL/SENATE FIN COMM

Name: GARVIE, PAMELA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MEEDS, LLOYD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: ROUVELAS, EMANÜEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: RUGE, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: THOMAS, W. DAVID

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: Feb 11, 2005

Printed Name and Title: MICHAEL EVANS - PARTNER