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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Foreign Service Association			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2101 E Street NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Washington DC 20037 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Susan Reardon	(202) 338-4045		2365-12
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
			23194000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-Dec

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

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p align="center">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</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 align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ <u>80,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature  Date 02/13/2004

Printed Name and Title Susan Reardon (Executive Director)

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Registrant Name AMERICAN FOREIGN SERVICE ASSOCIATION

Client Name SELF

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which 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

AFSA sought the amendment of current tax law regarding the exclusion of capital gains on the sale of a principal residence. Such an amendment, with regard to the Uniformed Services and the Foreign Service, would not require time away from the principal residence, when on an official duty assignment away from the principal residence for up to ten years, as part of the "5 year look back" test in determining the amount of time having lived in the principal residence in order to qualify for existing capital gains exclusions. This became H.R. 3365, the "Military Family Relief Act of 2003." The President signed this bill on November 11, 2003, and it is now designated as PL 108-193.

17. House(s) of congress and federal agencies contacted. Check if None

The tax staff of the House of Representatives Committee on Ways and Means, the Senate Finance Committee, the Office of Hon. Arno Houghton and Office of Sen. John McCain.

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Kennon H. Nakamura	Director of Congressional Relations
Ivo Spalatin	

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

Signature  2/13/04

