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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Philip S. Smith and Associates, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 611 Pennsylvania Ave, S.E., Suite 340, Washington, D.C., 20003			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____			
4. Contact Name Philip S. Smith	Telephone (202) 543-1444	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 48257-12
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Lao Veterans of America, Inc.	6. House ID # 34480-000		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME 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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____

Printed Name and Title Philip S. Smith, President

Registrant Name Philip S. Smith & Assoc. Client Name Lao Veterans of America, Inc.

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 1000 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (H.R. 371).
Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (S. 890).
Bipartisan Congressional Letter regarding the forced and involuntary repatriation of Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army from Thailand to Laos.

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Justice
Immigration and Naturalization Service
U.S. Department of State
U.S. Department of Defense
Central Intelligence Agency

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Philip S. Smith	NA	<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

Signature _____ Date 1/06/2000

Printed Name and Title Mr. Philip S. Smith, President

Registrant Name Philip S. Smith & Assoc. Client Name Lao Veterans of America, Inc.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (H.R. 371).
Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Natrualization Legislation (S. 890).
Bipartisan Congressional Letter regarding the forced and involuntary repatriation of Lao/Hmong veterans of the U.S. Secret Army from Thailand to Laos.
Educating Members of Congress about the historic contributions of the Hmong and Lao veterans of the U.S. Secret Army to U.S. national security during the Vietnam War and the Cold War.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Urging the U.S. Congress to deny the granting of Normalized Trade Relations (NTR) with the Communist LPDR Regime in Laos.

H.Res. 169, Concerning the need for democracy and human rights in Laos, All Titles.

H. Res. 332, Condemning the Communist Regime in Laos for human rights violations, All Titles.

Providing written testimony to the House Ways and Means Committee's Trade Subcommittee for its request for comments regarding consideration of granting NTR status to the LPDR Regime in Laos

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Registrant Name Philip S. Smith & Assoc. Client Name Laos Veterans of America, Inc.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H. Res. 169, Concerning the need for democracy and human rights in Laos, All Titles.
- H. Res. 332, Condemning the Communist Regime in Laos for human rights violations, All Titles.
- Providing written testimony to the House Ways and Means Committee's Subcommittee on Trade for its request for comments regarding consideration of granting Normalized Trade Relations (NTR) Status to the LPDR Communist Regime in Laos.
- Providing written and oral testimony to the Congressional Human Rights Caucus regarding the current situation in Laos under the LPDR Regime.
- Assisting in generating various bipartisan Congressional letters on Laos and the Hmong people.

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