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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration 1. Effective Date of Registration 5/1/2004

2. House Identification Number _____

Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT3. Registrant name Alston & Bird LLP-Address 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW - North Building, 10th FloorCity WashingtonState DCZip 20004-2601

4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)

City AtlantaState/Zip (or Country) GA 30309

5. Telephone number and contact name

(202) 756-3342

Contact Jonathan M. WinerE-mail (optional) jwiner@

6. General description of registrant's business or activities

Law firm

CLIENT *A Lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should be labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* *Self*

7. Client name Renal Leadership CouncilAddress c/o Alston & Bird LLP, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW - North Building, 10th FloorCity WashingtonState DCZip 20004-2601

8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)

City _____

State/Zip (or Country) _____

9. General description of client's business or activities

Representation of dialysis providers**LOBBYISTS**

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two acting as a lobbyist for the client, *state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.*

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Thomas A. Scully	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-A
Colin Roskey	Senate Finance Comm-Health Policy Advisor

Marilyn Yager, M. Lynn Sykes, Jennifer L. Butler,

Erin L. Darling, Alicia Ziemiecki,

David Hebert and Marc Scheineson

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Registrant Name Alston & Bird LLP Client Name Renal Leadership Council

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, j

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Issues related to the Medicare Modernization Act of 2003 (Public Law 108-173) and general health care regulatory work and advice

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the regi a semiannual period and in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activit

No ⇨ Go to line 14. Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for each entity matchi criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

Name	Address	Principal Place of Bus (city and state or coun
See Addendum		

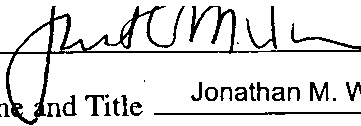
FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subs activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the or of the lobbying activity?

No ⇨ Sign and date the registration. Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for ea matching the criteria above, then sign : registration.

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities
See Addendum			

Signature  Date 5/24/2007
Printed Name and Title Jonathan M. Winer, Partner

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ADDENDUM TO LOBBYING REGISTRATION**Registrant Name: Alston & Bird LLP****Client Name: Renal Leadership Cou****Item 13. AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business
Fresenius Medical Care	95 Hayden Avenue Lexington, MA 02420	Lexington, MA
DaVita Inc.	601 Hawaii Street El Segundo, CA 90245	El Segundo, CA
Gambro Healthcare, Inc.	10810 W. Collins Avenue Lakewood, CO 80215	Lakewood, CO
Renal Care Group, Inc.	2525 West End Avenue, Suite 600 Nashville, TN 37203	Nashville, TN

Item 14. FOREIGN ENTITIES

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business	Amount of Contribution for Lobbying Activities	Ownership Percentage Client (Direct/Indirect)
Fresenius Medical Care AG	61346 Bad Homburg Germany	Germany	\$0	None/43%
Gambro AB	Jakobsgatan 6 PO Box 7373 SE-103 91 Stockholm Sweden	Sweden	\$0	None/21%

¹ Fresenius Medical Care, the entity identified in Item 13, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fresenius Medical Care AG. Approximately 43% of the operating expenses of the Renal Leadership Council are funded by Fresenius Medical Care.

² Gambro Healthcare, Inc., the entity identified in Item 13, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Gambro AB. Approximately 21% of the operating expenses of the Renal Leadership Council are funded by Gambro Healthcare, Inc.

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