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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Public Strategies, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1401 Eye St. NW, Suite 220 Washington, DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Austin State/Zip (or Country) TX 78701			
4. Contact Name Cynthia Tripodi	Telephone (202) 354-8200	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 57613-4
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Recording Industry Association of America	6. House ID # 3191102		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2002 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 Activities ☐

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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>\$120,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000) 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition. <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code
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Signature _____

Cynthia Tripodi

Printed Name and Title _____

Cynthia Tripodi, Director

Registrant Name Public Strategies, Inc. Client Name Recording Industry Association of America

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 ART (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

protection of intellectual property rights
protection of 1st Amendment rights

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

U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives
Department of Justice
Department of Commerce, Office of Technology Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Cynthia Tripodi	

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

Signature Cynthia Tripodi Date 8/9/02

Printed Name and Title Cynthia Tripodi, Director

Registrant Name Public Strategies, Inc. Client Name Recording Industry Association of America

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

protection of intellectual property rights
protection of 1st Amendment rights

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

protection of intellectual property rights
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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City

State/Zip (or Country)

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Jay Velasquez

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Own person client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, or affiliated organization

Signature Cynthia Tripodi Date 8/9/02

Printed Name and Title Cynthia Tripodi, Director

