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## LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name: INVACARE CORP 600 CAMERON STREET, STE 402, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): City: ELYRIA State/Zip(or Country): OH 44035 4. Contact Name: CARA C. BACHENHEIMER Telephone: 440-329-6226 E-mail (optional): cbachenheimer@invacare.com Senate ID #: 91433-12 House ID #: 36795000 7. Client Name: X Self TYPE OF REPORT \_\_ 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: => 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: -\$10,000 or more: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 307,000.00 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

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Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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

Changes to Medicare regarding durable medical equipment benefits.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Food & Drug Administration (FDA) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS) Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) SENATE White House Office

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

Name: BACHENHEIMER, CARA C.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GRAEFE, FRED
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HUGHES, STACEY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: NICKLES, DON
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WILLIAMS, DAVID T.
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: MMM (one per page)

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Printed Name and Title: CARAIC, BACHENHEIMER - VICE PRESIDENT OF GOVERNMENT RELATIONS