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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name <b>William F. Whitsitt</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address <b>101 Constitution Avenue NW Suite 800</b> City <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20001-2133</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <b>William F. Whitsitt</b>	Telephone <b>202-742-4500</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>wfwhitsitt@aol.com</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>41294-12</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>Burlington Resources Oil &amp; Gas Company</b>			6. House ID # <b>33769000</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2002 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-Dec

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

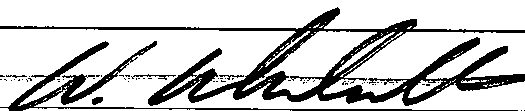
10. Check if this is a Termination Report  >> Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

11. No Lobbying

**INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13**

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p><b>INCOME</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> &gt;&gt; \$ <u>\$40,000.00</u> 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><b>EXPENSES</b> 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 type="checkbox"/> &gt;&gt; \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate reporting accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

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


16. Specific Lobbying issues  
**HR 2217, Interior Appropriations FY'02, issues relating to MMS crude oil valuation and energy project per**

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>Whitsitt, William F.</b>	

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

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues  
**HR 4, SAFE Act for 2002, Support Senate provisions relating to hydraulic fracturing and issues relating to k and tax issues**

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

**CEQ  
Department of Energy  
Environmental Protection Agency  
House of Representatives  
National Economic Council  
Senate**

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**HR 4, SAFE Act of 2001, issues relating to land access and tax issues**  
**S 1766, Energy Policy Act of 2002, issues relating to oil and gas**  
**Support legislation that establishes a royalty valuation process for federal oil and gas.**  
**Support comprehensive mineral exchanges to maximize environmental and energy benefits, no specific legisl**

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

**Bureau of Land Management**  
**Council on Environmental Quality**  
**Department of Agriculture**  
**Department of Energy**  
**Department of the Interior**  
**Forest Service**  
**House of Representatives**

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Item	Description	Data
17a	House of Congress/Agencies	Minerals Management Service
17a	House of Congress/Agencies	National Economic Council
17a	House of Congress/Agencies	Senate

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**HR 4, Energy Policy Act of 2002, support tax provisions to encourage exploration and production  
S 593/ HR 276, To clarify 7 year natural gas gathering line depreciation., support legislation**


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

**Department of Energy  
Department of Treasury  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
House of Representatives  
National Economic Council  
OMB  
Senate**

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


16. Specific Lobbying issues  
**Support for Executive Branch policies supporting fair treatment of US firms by oil and gas producing countr**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None  
**Department of Commerce**  
**Department of Energy**  
**Department of State**  
**Office of the US Trade Representative**

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