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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>Hobbs, Straus, Dean &amp; Walker, LLP</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address <b>2120 L Street, NW</b>		Suite <b>700</b>	
City <b>Washington</b>	State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC</b>	<b>20037</b>	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)			
City		State/Zip (or Country)	
4. Contact Name <b>M. Frances Ayer</b>			5. Senate ID # <b>18364-</b>
Telephone <b>202-822-8282</b>			E-mail (optional) <b>fayer@hswdc.com</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>Little River Band of Ottawa Indians</b>			6. House ID # <b>31356-</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 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

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

<p align="center"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p><b>INCOME</b> 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"/> &gt;&gt; \$ _____  <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 align="center"><b>13. Organizations</b></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; \$ _____  <small>Expenses (nearest \$)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6013 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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Signature *M. Frances Ayer* Date 2/11/2004

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Registrant Name: Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker, LLP

Client Name: Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

**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 IND (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

- H.R. 2088, Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2003, Indian related provisions
- H.R. 2242, Tribal Government Amendments to the Homeland Security Act, all provisions
- H.R. 2824, Internet Tobacco Sales Enforcement Act, cigarette tax provisions
- H.R. 3550, Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users, Indian related provisions
- S. 1072, Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2003, Indian related provisions
- S. 1177, Prevent All Cigarette Trafficking Act, cigarette tax provisions
- S. 281, Indian Tribal Surface Transportation Improvement Act of 2003, all provisions
- S. 578, Tribal Government Amendments to the Homeland Security Act, all provisions
- Reservation status

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

Department of the Interior  
House of Representatives  
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Ayer, M. Frances	
Hughes, Jennifer	
Lemont, Eric	
Milhollin, Elliott	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

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