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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW SUITE 500 City WASHINGTON State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name ROSANNE PHILLIPS	Telephone 202-628-1700	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 32098-734
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self ATOFINA CHEMICALS, INC. (NAME CHANGE)	6. House ID # 31355071		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 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 12/31/2000 11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME 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"/> >> \$ <u>\$20,000.00</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>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES 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"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____ Date 02/14/2001
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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 TRD (one per page)
16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.2428, To suspend temporarily the duty on 11-Aminoundecanoic acid,
H.R.3762, To suspend temporarily the duty on undecylenic acid,
H.R.3763, To suspend temporarily the duty on n-Heptaldehyde,
H.R.3764, To suspend temporarily the duty on n-Heptanoic acid,
H.R.3838, To suspend temporarily the duty on certain polyamides,
H.R.4868, Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2000,
S.2138, To suspend temporarily the duty on 11-Aminoundecanoic acid,
S.2240, To suspend temporarily the duty on certain polyamides,
S.2426, To suspend temporarily the duty on n-Heptanoic acid,
S.2427, To suspend temporarily the duty on Undecylenic acid,

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Customs Service
Department of Commerce
House of Representatives
ITC
Senate
USTR

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
SLOMOWITZ, ALAN		No

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

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Item	Description	Data
16	Lobbying Issues	8,2428. To suspend temporarily the duty on n-Heptaldehyde.