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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization	American Home Furnishings Alliance		
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address1	1120 Connecticut Avenue NW, #1080		
City	Washington	State	DC
Zip Code	20036	Country	USA
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City		State	
Zip Code		Country	
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Russell B. Batson	202-466-7362	batsonr@ahfa.us
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			5. Senate ID #
American Home Furnishings Alliance			243-00
			6. House ID #
			31658000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 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 ⇨ \$

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 ⇨ \$

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 Internal Revenue Code

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

Form CD

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Printed Name and Title Russell B. Batson Vice President, Government Affairs 

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Registrant Name American Home Furnishings Alliance Client Name American Home Furnishings Alliance

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.** Information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code CSP - Consumer Issues/Safety/Protection (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Upholstered furniture flammability; a rule making pending US Consumer Products Safety Commission, for which Congressional committees have conducted oversight activities.

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

Consumer Product Safety Commission

U.S. Senate

U.S. House of Representatives

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

First Name	Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
	Last Name	Suffix	
Russell	Batson		

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

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Registrant Name American Home Furnishings Alliance

Client Name American Home Furnishings Alliance

ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area MAN

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR8 - to make a repeal of the estate tax permanent, all provisions

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

House
Senate

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

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Christopher	Pearce		

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

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Registrant Name American Home Furnishings Alliance Client Name American Home Furnishings Alliance

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15. General issue area code LAW - Law Enforcement/Crime/Criminal Justice (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR2965 - Federal Prison Industries Competition In Contracting Act of 2005, provisions related to reform of FPIs mandatory source status

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

House

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

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Christopher	Pearce		

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 TRD - Trade (Domestic & Foreign) (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Export promotion: advocated for creation of a wood products sectoral within WTO/Doha Round of Negotiations

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

House
Senate
U.S. Department of Commerce

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

First Name	Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
	Last Name	Suffix	
Russell	Batson		
Christopher	Pearce		

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 LBR - Labor Issues/Antitrust/Workplace (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue >

S2065 - Occupational Safety Partnership Act of 2005, all provisions
S2066 - Occupational Safety Fairness Act of 2005, all provisions
S2067 - HazCom Simplification And Modernization Act of 2005, all provisions

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

Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for this issue area*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Christopher	Pearce		

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

Add a page for a different issue area

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Registrant Name American Home Furnishings Alliance Client Name American Home Furnishings Alliance

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address
 City State Zip Code Country

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

City State Zip Code 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

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffi
1			3		
2			4		

ISSUE UPDATE

Find the code to select below.

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

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address C/S/Z	City State Country
	Address C/S/Z	City State

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

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FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

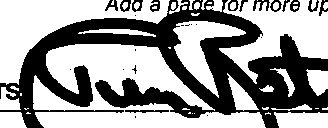
Name	Street Address	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownes percer client.
	City	State/Province Country	City State Country		

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

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Add a page for more up

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