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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name McDermott, Will & Emery			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 600 13th Street, N.W.			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, D.C. State/Zip (or Country) 20005-3096			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Eric Zimmerman	202/756-8148	ezimmerman@mwe.com	24338-797
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
Rural Referral/Sole Community Hospital Coalition			31445055

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 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 – \$60,000
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 were:

Less than \$10,000
\$10,000 or more – \$ _____
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

14. **REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of option.

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definition
- Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 603 of the Internal Revenue Code
- Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title Eric Zimmerman

Registrant Name McDermott, Will & Emery Client Name Rural Referral/Sole Community Hospital Coa

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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 MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Legislation concerning rural hospitals designated by Medicare as Rural Referral Centers and Sole Community Hospitals.

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

U.S. Senate


U.S. House of Representatives

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Eric Zimmerman	Counsel

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

Signature  Date August 15, 2003

Printed Name and Title Eric Zimmerman, Counsel

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