

Clerk of the House of Representatives  
Legislative Resource Center  
B-106 Cannon Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Secretary of the Senate  
Office of Public Records  
232 Hart Building  
Washington, DC 20510

RECEIVED  
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE  
PUBLIC RECORDS

05 AUG 17 PM 2:0

# LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name A. O. Smith Corporation			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 11270 West Park Place, Milwaukee, WI 53224			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID
W. David Romoser	(414) 359-4137	dromoser@aosmith.com	3569
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID
			3175

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-

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**  
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more  ⇒ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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 period were:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more  ⇒ \$ 60,000  
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

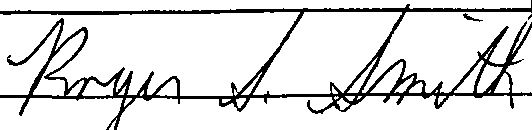
**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description:

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA de-

Method B. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_



3000410338

Printed Name and Title Roger S. Smith, Manager, Corporate Advertising and Public Affai

LD-2 (REV. 6/98)

Registrant Name A. O. Smith Corporation Client Name Self

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

"Class Action Fairness Act" S.5

16. Specific lobbying issues

"Class Action Fairness Act" S.5

Remove class actions from State to Federal courts.

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

Check if None

House and Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Roger S. Smith	

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

Check if None

Signature

*Roger S. Smith*

Date

8/12/05

Printed Name and Title

Roger S. Smith, Manager, Corporate Advertising and Public Affairs

0000410339



Registrant Name A. O. Smith Corporation Client Name Self

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

20. Client new address

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

City

State/Zip (or 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

**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

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

**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

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

0000410340

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

③

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title Roger S. Smith, Manager, Corporate Advertising and Public Affairs

Form LD-2 (Rev. 6/98)

Page \_\_\_\_\_

**LOBBYING REPORT ADDENDUM**

**Registrant Name** A. O. Smith Corporation

**Client Name** Self

*Lines 1-7. Not applicable*

8. General lobbying issue area code (enter one) TAX

9. Specific lobbying issues (include bill numbers and specific executive branch actions)

R. & D Tax Credit  
Make permanent.

10. Houses of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

House and Senate

11. Name and title of each employee who acted as a lobbyist

Roger S. Smith  
Manager Corporate Advertising & Public Affairs

12. For registrants identifying foreign entities in the Lobbying Registration (Form LD-1, line 12) or any updates:  
such foreign entity in the specific lobbying issues listed on line 9 above

None

000410341





**LOBBYING REPORT ADDENDUM**

**Registrant Name** A. O. Smith Corporation

**Client Name** Self

*Lines 1-7. Not applicable*

8. General lobbying issue area code (enter one) HCR.

9. Specific lobbying issues (include bill numbers and specific executive branch actions)

Health Care Costs  
Medical malpractice.

10. Houses of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Only tracked issue.

11. Name and title of each employee who acted as a lobbyist

Roger S. Smith  
Manager Corporate Advertising & Public Affairs

12. For registrants identifying foreign entities in the Lobbying Registration (Form LD-1, line 12) or any updates:  
such foreign entity in the specific lobbying issues listed on line 9 above

None

0000410342



**LOBBYING REPORT ADDENDUM**

Registrant Name    A. O. Smith Corporation

Client Name            Self

*Lines 1-7. Not applicable*

8. General lobbying issue area code (enter one) ENG

9. Specific lobbying issues (include bill numbers and specific executive branch actions)

"Energy Policy Act" H.R. 6  
Comprehensive energy reform.

10. Houses of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

House and Senate

11. Name and title of each employee who acted as a lobbyist

Roger S. Smith  
Manager Corporate Advertising & Public Affairs

12. For registrants identifying foreign entities in the Lobbying Registration (Form LD-1, line 12) or any updates:  
such foreign entity in the specific lobbying issues listed on line 9 above

None

0000410343



**LOBBYING REPORT ADDENDUM**

Registrant Name    A. O. Smith Corporation

Client Name            Self

*Lines 1-7. Not applicable*

8. General lobbying issue area code (enter one)    RET.

9. Specific lobbying issues (include bill numbers and specific executive branch actions)

Pension Reform H.R. 2830  
Republican John Boehner bill and administrations bill  
and Senator Grassley's bill.

10. Houses of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Tracking and summarizing.

11. Name and title of each employee who acted as a lobbyist

Roger S. Smith  
Manager Corporate Advertising & Public Affairs

12. For registrants identifying foreign entities in the Lobbying Registration (Form LD-1, line 12) or any updates:  
such foreign entity in the specific lobbying issues listed on line 9 above

None

0000410344



**LOBBYING REPORT ADDENDUM**

Registrant Name    A. O. Smith Corporation

Client Name            Self

*Lines 1-7. Not applicable*

8. General lobbying issue area code (enter one) TRD.

9. Specific lobbying issues (include bill numbers and specific executive branch actions)

CAFTA - D.R. - Free Trade Agreement  
"The Trade Rights Enforcement Act"  
Make China comply to WTO rules.

10. Houses of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Only tracked issues.

11. Name and title of each employee who acted as a lobbyist

Roger S. Smith  
Manager Corporate Advertising & Public Affairs

12. For registrants identifying foreign entities in the Lobbying Registration (Form LD-1, line 12) or any updates:  
such foreign entity in the specific lobbying issues listed on line 9 above

None

0000410345

