

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUYELAS MEEDS LLP

2. Address:
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE SUITE 500, WASHINGTON, DC 20006

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):
Country City: State/Zip(or Country):

4. Contact Name: TERRI PAULK
Telephone: 202-661-3881
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Senate ID #: 32098-3832
House ID #: 31355244

7. Client Name: Self

SPOKANE REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 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: => Income (nearest \$20,000): 100,000.00

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: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): _____

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

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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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 5122, S 12766, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007, military construction funding. HR 5672, Science, State, Justice, Commerce, and related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2007, COPS DOJ project funding and EDA funding. CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGEHR 5386, Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2007, EPA funding for aquifer study and non-point phosphorus study. HR 5631, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007, funding for Fairchild AFB. HR 5385, Military Quality of Life and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2007, funding for Fairchild AFB. HR 5576, Transportation, Treasury, Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, the District of Columbia, and Independent Agencies Appropriators Act, 2007, highway and rail infrastructure improvement projects and EDI projects.

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

Senate
House of Representatives
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
US Geological Survey (USGS)
Department of Interior
Bonneville Power Administration

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

Name: EVANS, MICHAEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: FLACHBART, AMY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF OF STAFF FOR REP. NETHERCUTT

Name: GORTON, SLADE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: PASSMORE, ANDREW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): STAFF ASSISTANT FOR REPRESENTATIVE MCMORRIS

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: PUNKE, TIMOTHY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF INTERN'L TRADE COUNSEL, SENATE FINANCE COMM

Name: SEE, CHAD

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: VALENTINE, STEVEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Support for Fairchild AFB including the new tanker mission.

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

Department of Defense (DOD)

Senate

House of Representatives

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

Name: O'NEIL, MICHAEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 5647, S 3708, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2007, health care information technology funding and projects. HR 2234, 21st Century Health Information Act of 2005. CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGES 1355, Better Healthcare Through Information Technology Act. HR 4157, Health Information Technology Promotion Act of 2005, chronic disease management demonstration. Promote regional electronic health record demonstration and telehealth. HR 4331, To provide for a Medicaid demonstration project for chronic disease management.

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

Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
Centers for Disease Control & Prevention
Senate
House of Representatives

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

Name: BOOTH, NICOLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): STAFF ASSISTANT FOR REPRESENTATIVE CAMP

Name: FLACHBART, AMY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF OF STAFF FOR REP. NETHERCUTT

Name: GREGOIRE, COURTNEY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: PASSMORE, ANDREW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): STAFF ASSISTANT FOR REPRESENTATIVE MCMORRIS

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SEE, CHAD

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 02, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Tim Peckinpaugh, Partner -

Information Update Page:

Complete **ONLY** where registration information has changed.

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Name: Cooper, Steven
Name: Hedeman, Caryn
Name: Wissman, Yvette

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

Name: Inland Northwest Health Services
Address: , Spokane, WA, USA
Principal Place of Business (city and state or country):
Spokane, WA, USA

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

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 02, 2006

Printed Name and Title: TIM PECKINPAUGH, PARTNER -