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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name AACC			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2101 L Street, NW, Suite 202			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Washington DC, 20037 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Vince Stine	Telephone (202) 835-8721	E-mail (optional) vstine@aacc.org	5. Senate ID # 1466-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self self			6. House ID #

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 ☐

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 type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expected accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature Vince Stine Date **February 2, 2004**

Printed Name and Title Vince Stine, Director, Government Affairs

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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 code information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

(1) H.R.2660, The "Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2004." The Association joined a coalition letter in support of increased funding levels for the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

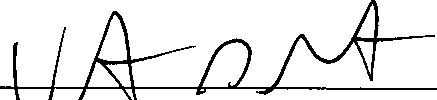
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None

(1) House and Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Vince Stine	

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

Signature  Date 02/02/04

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

(1) House/Senate Conference Agreement on Medicare prescription drugs -- H.R. 1, "Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003," Sections 612 and 630; and S.1, "Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003," Section 447. The Association wrote a letter endorsing Medicare screening for cardiovascular and diabetes testing.
 (2) House/Senate Conference Agreement on Medicare prescription drugs -- S.1, "Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003, Section 441. The Association joined a coalition letter in opposition to the adoption of a new co-payment for laboratory services.
 (3) House/Senate Conference Agreement on H.R.1, S.1 -- The Association joined a coalition letter requesting limits on any cut in the lab CPI update -- this provision was not in any of the initial bills.

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

(1) House and Senate
 (2) House and Senate
 (3) House and Senate

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

(1) H.R.2613, The "Public Access to Science Act." The Association wrote a letter opposing the legislation.

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

(1) House

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

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