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August 14, 2000

Hon. Jeff Trandahl, Clerk  
U.S. House of Representatives  
H-154 U.S. Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515-0001

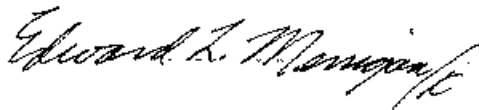
Re: Lobbying Disclosure Act Report,  
Transportacion Maritima Mexicana,  
Transportacion Ferroviaria Mexicana -  
ID: 33856001

Dear Mr. Trandahl:

Enclosed please find one duly executed original of the semi-annual lobbying report, Form LD-2.

I have this date forwarded a duplicate original report to The Secretary of the Senate, Office of Public Records.

Sincerely,



Enclosures

cc: The Secretary of the Senate  
Office of Public Records

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

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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name Edward L. Merrigan'			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported P.O. Box 15131, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20825-1531'			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) 381 Hemsley Drive City: Queenstown, State/Zip (or County) Maryland 21658			
4. Contact Name Edward L. Merrigan	Telephone (301) 656-0210	E-mail (optional) n/a	5. Senate ID # 24954-24
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> self Transportation Maritima Mexicana (TMM)/ Transportacion Ferroviaria Mexicana (TFM)			6. House ID # 33856001

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2000 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	
<p><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ <u>NONE</u>  <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ <u>NONE</u>  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Edward L. Merrigan

Printed Name and Title Edward L. Merrigan, Attorney

Registrant Name Edward L. Merrigan Client Name Transportacion Maritima Mexicana (TMM)  
Transportacion Ferroviara Mexicana-TF

**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 \_\_\_\_\_ (one per page)

I did not engage in any lobbying activities on behalf of this client during this first half of 2000.

16. Specific lobbying issues

NONE.

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

Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
INAPPLICABLE	-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature Edward L. Merrigan Date 8-14-00

Printed Name and Title Edward L. Merrigan, Attorney

**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

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**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	Ownership percentage in client

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

Signature Edward L. Merrigan Jr Date 8-14-06

Printed Name and Title Edward L. Merrigan, Attorney