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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name Robert N. Pyle & Associates, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1223 Potomac Street, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20007			
4. Contact Name Nicholas A. Pyle		Telephone (202) 333-8190	5. Senate ID # 32500-125
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Welch's		E-mail (optional)	6. House ID # 31506010

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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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><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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</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)(8) 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 Nicholas A. Pyle

Printed Name and Title Nicholas A. Pyle, President

Registrant Name: Robert N. Pyle & Associates Client Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**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 FOO (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Food Safety  
National Uniformity  
Food Quality Protection Act  
Labeling Activities  
Crop Protection - Organophosphates

Cooperative Taxation  
Market Promotion Program  
Supplemental Feeding Programs  
Bulk Agricultural Purchases  
Agriculture Workers Legislation

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

United State Senate  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Health and Human Service (FDA)  
Environmental Protection Agency

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Robert N. Pyle		<input type="checkbox"/>
Nicholas A. Pyle		<input type="checkbox"/>
Claire T. Pyle		<input type="checkbox"/>
Alexis Hersh		<input type="checkbox"/>
Alison O'Neill		<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Anderson		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Signature:  Date: 2-2-2001

Printed Name and Title: Nicholas A. Pyle, President