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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Capital Blue Cross			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2500 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17177-2531			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Same State/Zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Vincent P. Carocci	Telephone (717) 541-6133	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 8043-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 32629000		

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Vincent P. Carocci

Printed Name and Title Vincent P. Carocci, Director, Government Affairs

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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 HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Health Plan Liability
- Coalition Health Care Quality Act (H.R. 1304)
- Patients' Bill of Right
- Provider Collective Bargaining
- MEWAs and AHPs

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

U. S. House of Representatives
United States Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Vincent P. Carocci		<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 Vincent P. Carocci Date 8/2/2000
Printed Name and Title Vincent P. Carocci, Director, Government Affairs

LOBBYING CONTACT/ACTIVITY LOG
USE THIS FORM TO RECORD ALL CONTACTS/ACTIVITY WITH FEDERAL
OFFICIALS COVERED UNDER THE LOBBYING DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1995
1/1/00 - 6/30/00

Date of Activity/Contact	Name of Contact	Office of Contact	Issues Discussed	Name/Duration of Contact
1/19/00	Capital Blue Cross Group Accounts	Harrisburg, PA	Health Plan Liability	Vince Carocci (4 hours) Michael MacGee (2 hours) Lee Van Valkenburgh (2 Hours)
1/25/00	U. S. Representatives Gekas, Goodling, Holden, Pitts, Shuster, Toomey & Peterson	Washington, DC	Health Plan Liability and Multiple Employer Welfare Associations (MEWAS)	James Mead (1 hour) Lee Van Valkenburgh (5 hours) Mike MacGee (4 hours) Vince Carocci (6 hours - 2 letters) Vince Carocci (1/2 hr. each)
2/29/00	Offices of U. S. Representatives Gekas (Matt Zonatch), Holden (Jennifer Sarensent) and Toomey (Gary Blank)	Washington, DC	Health Plan Liability	
5/19/00	U. S. Representatives Gekas, Goodling, Holden, Shuster and Toomey	Washington, DC	H. R. 1304 - Coalition Health Care Quality Act (Letter)	Vince Carocci (1 hour)
5/25/00	U. S. Senators Specter and Santorum	Washington, DC	Patients' Bill of Rights, MEWAS, AHPs (Letter)	Vince Carocci (1 hour) James Mead (1 hour)
5/14/00	U. S. Senator Santorum (Staff) U. S. Representatives Holden, Gekas, Toomey	Washington, DC	Patients' Bill of Rights, Health Plan Liability, Provider Collective Bargaining	Vince Carocci (1/2 hr.) James Mead (1/2 hr.) Lee Van Valkenburgh (1/2 hr.)

Name of Person Completing Form

Vincent P. Carocci
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Signature of Person Completing Form

Vincent P. Carocci

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