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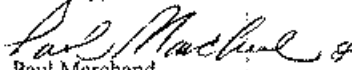
August 9, 2000

Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
232 Hart Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Sir,

I have attached The Arc's LD-2 filing for the period January 1 through June 30,
2000.

Sincerely,


Paul Marchand
Director

Attachment

cc: Headquarters

MISSION STATEMENT

The Arc of the United States works through education, research and advocacy to improve the quality of life for children and adults with
mental retardation and their families and works to prevent both the causes and the effects of mental retardation.

Clerk of the House of Representatives
 Legislative Resource Center
 B-106 Cannon Building
 Washington, DC 20515

Secretary of the Senate
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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name The Arc of the United States			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1730 K St., NW, #1212, Washington, D.C. 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Silver Spring, State/Zip (or County) Maryland			
4. Contact Name Paul Marchand	Telephone 202/785-3388	E-mail (optional) Marchand@thearc.org	5. Senate ID # 4174 12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 30486000		

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>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"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <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>13. Organizations</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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>60,000</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" 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(c) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Paul Marchand
 Printed Name and Title Paul Marchand, Director, GA Office

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Appropriations - HUD-VA-Independent Agencies - FY 2001, H.R. 4635.
 Appropriations - L-HHS-ED - FY 2001, H.R. 4577/S.2553.
 House and Senate Budget Resolutions - FY 2001/H.Con.Res.290 & S.Con.Res.101.
 Work Incentive budget proposals - Administration.
 Long Term Care budget proposals - Administration.
 Social Security Administration Limitation on Administrative Expenses budget.

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

House and Senate
 U.S. Departments of Health and Human Services and Housing and Urban Development
 White House
 Office of Management and Budget
 Social Security Administration
 U.S. Department of Labor

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Paul Marchand	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martha Ford	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kathleen McGinley	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kim Musheno	N/A	<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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 1313, Patients' Freedom from Restraint Act; H.R. 3010, Restraint Safety Act of 1999.
 - S. 736, Freedom from Restraint Act.
 - S. 750, Compassionate Care Act.
 - S.622/H.R.1082, Hate Crimes Prevention Act.
 - S. 1809, Reauthorization of the Developmental Disabilities Act and Family Support Act.
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17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

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15. General issue area code CIV (one per page) (continued)

16. Specific lobbying issues

ADA Notification Act, H.R. 3590.
H.R. 2836, Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1999.
H.R. 2437, Fair Housing Enforcement Act of 1999.
H.R. 1501/S.254, juvenile justice legislation.
H.R. 3195, Elementary and Secondary Education Act Reauthorization.

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

House
Senate
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
U.S. Department of Justice
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
White House

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S.6/H.R.358, Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 1999.
- S. 1344, Patients' Bill of Rights Plus Act.
- H.R. 2723, Bipartisan Consensus Managed Care Improvement Act.
- Medicare prescription drug proposals.
- Family Opportunity Act, S. 2274.
- Comprehensive Children's Health Act, H.R. 4365.
- HCFA Regulations on - QISMC, Medicaid Managed Care, Medicare+Choice.
- HCFA studies on - Medicaid Managed Care, EPEDT.

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

House
Senate
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
White House

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Kathleen McGinley	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kim Musheno	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code HOU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 202, Preserving Affordable Housing for Senior Citizens into the 21st Century.
H.R. 1776, American Homeownership Opportunity Act.
HUD implementation of policy changes in FYs 1999 and 2000 Appropriations.
HUD regulations on Section 8.

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

House
Senate
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
President's Task Force on Employment of People with Disabilities
White House

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues
 Extension of benefits for legal residents who entered after August 22, 1996.
 Section 504 accommodations for immigration procedures and for naturalization, including the oath.
 S. 2812, To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a waiver of the oath of allegiance for naturalization of people with certain disabilities.
 Handling of Social Security numbers for immigrants who are qualified for benefits.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
 Immigration and Naturalization Service, DOJ
 House
 Senate
 Social Security Administration
 White House

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Martha Ford	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code LBR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues
Workforce Investment Act Regulations (P.L. 105-220).
Disability community concerns regarding employment, including implementation of P.L. 106-170, Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Improvement Act.
Vocational Rehabilitation regulations.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
U.S. Department of Labor

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

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Paul Marchand	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martha Ford	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code LAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S. 1976, Crime Victims with Disabilities Act.
- S. 2266, State and Local Prison Relief Act.
- S. 2812, regarding waiver of the oath of allegiance for immigrants with certain disabilities.
- H.R. 3590, ADA Notification Act.

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

Senate and House
U.S. Department of Justice, INS

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

16. Specific lobbying issues
P.L. 105-33, Balanced Budget Act of 1997 - Regulations.
P.L. 105-33 Balanced Budget Act of 1997 - Implementation problems.
H.Con.Res.290/S.Con.Res.101, FY 2001 Budget Resolution.
S. 1935, Medicaid Community Attendant Services and Supports Act of 1999.
Abuse Initiatives in the Health Care Financing Administration.
H.R. 1313, Patients' Freedom from Restraint Act; H.R. 3010, Restraint Safety Act of 1999.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues
 S. 736, Freedom from Restraint Act.
 S. 750, Compassionate Care Act.
 HCFA oversight of ICF/MR and home and community-based waiver programs.
 HCFA/HHS oversight of implementation of Olmstead decision.
 Administration budget proposals regarding LTC tax credits and others.
 S. 2225 and H.R. 3872, Long Term Care and Retirement Security Act.

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

House
 Senate
 U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
 Health Care Financing Administration
 White House

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Paul Marchand	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code RET (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues
Privatization of Social Security Trust Funds.
Protection of disabled adult child benefits.
H.R. 4857, Privacy and Identity Protection Act.
Issues regarding the future of disability policy.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Senate
House
Social Security Administration

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

P.L. 106-170, Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Improvement Act of 1999 implementation.

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

- House
- Senate
- Social Security Administration
- U.S. Department of Labor
- White House
- Office of Management and Budget

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Legislation affecting Supplemental Security Income and Title II disability eligibility - implementation of SSI Fraud Prevention Act within P.L. 106-169, Foster Care Independence Act.
 H.R. 4857, Privacy and Identity Protection Act.
 Regulations and policy to implement SSI and immigration changes in Law, Title XX, Social Services Block Grant.
 Substantial gainful activity regulation.
 SSI childhood eligibility criteria.

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

House and Senate
 U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
 Social Security Administration
 White House
 U.S. Department of Labor
 President's Task Force on Employment of Adults with Disabilities
 Office of Management and Budget

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Signature *Paul Marchand* Date 8/9/00
 Printed Name and Title Paul Marchand, Director, GA Office