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January 28, 2004

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US Senate
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To Whom It May Concern:

In compliance with the House Notice of Non-Receipt (dated January 13, 2004), I have attached an amended report for the period July 1, 2002 through December 31, 2002 for our client: Recording Industry Association of America, ID 1171-280

It was an oversight on our part that a lobbying report was not filed in a timely fashion. As you can see, a majority of our reports were filed and have been filed on time. Please do not think this is a reflection of our normal practices. We hope this corrects the problem.

Sincerely,

Casey Hastings

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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name
Alpine Group, Inc.

2. Registrant Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported
Address **660 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE** **Suite 201**
City **Washington** State/Zip (or Country) **DC 20003**

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)
City State/Zip (or Country)

4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Casey Hastings	**202-548-2316**	**chastings@alpinegroup.com**	**1171-280**

7. Client Name ☐ Self	6. House ID #
Recording Industry Association of America	**31749031**

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2002 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☐ **OR** Year End (July 1-De

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 Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 **OR** Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☒ >> $ **$40,000.00**
Income (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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this rep period were:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☐ >> $ _____
Expenses (nearest $2

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of

☐ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definit

☐ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 603 the Internal Revenue Code

☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

Signature Casey Hastings Date 1/27/2004

Printed Name and Title **Casey Hastings - Assistant** Pa

Registrant Name: **Alpine Group, Inc.**

Client Name: **Recording Industry Association of America**

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 **ART** (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Issues regarding piracy
Digital TV legislation related issues-SPAM

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Shaw, Rhod	

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

Signature Casey Hastings Date 1/27/2004

Printed Name and Title **Casey Hastings - Assistant** Pa

Registrant Name: **Alpine Group, Inc.**

Client Name: **Recording Industry Association of America**

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15. General issue area code **CPT** (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R. 2752, ACCOPS Act of 2003, similar legislation
Patent rights and related piracy issues
HR 2281, WIPO Copyright Treaties and Implementation Act, as it pertains to the sound recording industry.

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

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Shaw, Rhod	

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

Signature Casey Hastings Date 1/27/2004

Printed Name and Title **Casey Hastings - Assistant** Pa

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Re: RECORDING INDUSTRY ASSN OF AMERICA - ID: 31749031

FIRST NOTICE OF NON-RECEIPT

The Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, 2 USC 1601-1612, empowers the Clerk of t House of Representatives to verify and inquire to ensure the timeliness of registrations and reports.

A review of Reports on file with the Legislative Resource Center indicates that you neither terminated your registration nor submitted a report for the period July 1, 2002 to December 31, 2002, which was due by February 14, 2003.

Please provide us (within 30 days) with an appropriate filing and written explanatic any delinquency.

For further information, please contact the Legislative Resource Center, B106 Canr House Office Building, Washington, DC, (202) 226-5200.