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LOBBYING REPORT

Clerk of the House of Representatives	Secretary of the Senate
Legislative Resource Center	Office of Public Records
B-106 Cannon Building	232 Hart Building
Washington, DC 20515	Washington, DC 20510

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

1. Registrant name

Organization **ML Strategies, LLC**

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported

701 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW   Suite #900

City **Washington**   State **DC**   Zip Code **20004**   Country **USA**

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)

City _____   State _____   Zip Code _____   Country _____

City   State/Zip or Country

4a. Contact Name
Prefix   Full Name   **b. Telephone number**   **c. E-mail**

Mr.   David J. Leiter   202-434-7435   djleiter@mlstrategies.com

5. Senate ID #
25603-797

7. Client Name ☐ Self

Sallie Mae, Inc.

6. House ID #
33962041

TYPE OF REPORT   **8.** Year **2005**   Midyear (January 1-June30) ☒   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 perio were: ☒
Less than $10,000 ☐	Less than $10,000 ☐
$10,000 or more ☒ ⇒ $ 60,000	$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ $ _____

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. ☐

☐ **Method A.**   Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
☐ **Method B.**   Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code
☐ **Method C.**   Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Inter Revenue Code

Form Comple

Printed Name and Title   David J. Leiter, Vice-President of Government Relations   8-10-05

Registrant Name __ML Strategies, LLC__   Client Name __Sallie Mae, Inc.__

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the regis engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each code,** pro information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code __EDU - Education__ (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Higher Education Reauthorization Bill and student financial assistance issues.

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

U.S. Senate U.S. House of Representatives

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

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	
David	Leiter			[
Karen	Knutson			[
Mark	Buse			[
Patrick	Mara			[
Neal	Martin			[
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☒ Check if None

Printed Name and Title | David J. Leiter, Vice President of Government Relations | 8-10-05

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