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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Ed Bethune & Associates			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is an amended registration 2000 K Street, NW, Fifth Floor			
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, State/Zip (or Country): D.C. 20006-1872			
4. Contact Name Ed Bethune	Telephone 202/828-5852	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID#
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Chemical Manufacturers Association	6. House ID#		

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 1999 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 June 30, 1999 11. No Lobbying Activity

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → \$ <u>60,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	<b>EXPENSES</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$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).	<b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 2162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Registrant Name Ed Bethune & Associates Client Name Chemical Manufacturers Association

**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 page(s) as needed.

15. General issues area code CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

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

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Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Bethune, Ed - Attorney at Law		

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

**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 page(s) as needed.

15. General issues area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

**Bills:**

**H.R.2488; Taxpayer Refund and Relief Act of 1999**

**H.R.1300: To amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to promote brownfields redevelopment, to reauthorize and reform the Superfund program**

**H.R.2754: To amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to limit the portion of the Superfund expended for administration, oversight, support, studies, design, investigations, monitoring, assessment, and evaluation, and enforcement activities.**

**S.1090: A bill to reauthorize and amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Liability, and Compensation Act of 1980.**

**S.1528: To amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to clarify liability under that Act for certain recycling transactions.**

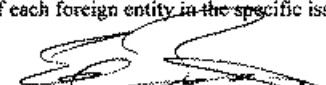
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Signature  August 11, 1999  
Printed Name and Title Ed Bethune - Attorney at Law