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| 1. Registrant Name Philip S. Smith & Associates, Inc. | | | |
| 2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 611 Pennsylvania Ave., S.E., Suite 340 Washington, D.C., 20003 | | | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____ | | | |
| 4. Contact Name Mr. Philip S. Smith | Telephone (202)543-1444 | E-mail (optional) | 5. Senate ID # 48257-12 |
| 7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Lao Veterans of America, Inc. | | | 6. House ID # 3448-0000 |

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

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| 12. Lobbying Firms INCOME 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>\$ 20,000</u> <small>(Income nearest \$20,000)</small> 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 reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small> 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(e) of the Internal Revenue Code |
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Signature

Philip S. Smith

8-7-2000

Printed Name and Title **Philip Smith, President**

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Registrant Name Philip S. Smith & Assoc Client Name Lao Veterans of America, Inc.

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 IMM (one per page)

Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (HR 371)
Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (S. 890)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 371, The Hmong Veterans Naturalization Act; All titles.
S. 890, The Hmong Veterans Naturalization Act; All titles.
S. 2025, "The Hmong Veterans Naturalization Act of 2000"; All titles.

Bipartisan Congressional letters regarding the forced and involuntary repatriation of Lao/Hmong veterans of the U.S. Secret Army from Thailand to Laos.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
White House
U.S. Department of Justice
Immigration and Naturalization Service
U.S. Department of State
U.S. Defense Department
Central Intelligence Agency

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) | New |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| Philip S. Smith | NA | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Chia Kue | NA | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Philip J. Smith | NA | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Lisa Kue | NA | <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

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Date 8-7-2000

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (H.R.371)
Lao/Hmong Veterans of the U.S. Secret Army Naturalization Legislation (S.890).
"The Hmong Veterans Naturalization Act of 2000" (S. 2025).

Educating Members of Congress and policymakers about the historic contributions of the Hmong and Lao veterans of the U.S. Secret Army toward U.S. national security during the Vietnam War.

Bipartisan Congressional letters regarding the forced repatriation of Hmong &
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ☐ Check if None Lao veterans in S.E. Asia.

Department of Veterans Affairs
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Defense
Central Intelligence Agency
U.S. Department of Justice
U.S. Department of State, USIA, USAID, VOA, et al.

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

Urging the U.S. Congress to deny the granting of Normalized Trade Relations to the Lao Peoples Democratic Republic (LPDR).

16. Specific lobbying issues

Urging the U.S. Congress to deny the granting of Normalized Trade Relations (NTR) to the LPDR regime in Laos.

S. Res. 309, Expressing the sense of the Senate Regarding Conditions in Laos.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives

U.S. Senate

U.S. Department of State

U.S. Department of Justice

U.S. Department of Commerce

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. Res. 309, Expressing the Sense of the Senate Regarding Conditions in Laos.

Urging the U.S. Congress to deny Normal Trade Relations (NTR) to the regime in Laos because of its horrific violation of basic human rights and freedoms.

Various bipartisan Congressional letters regarding the situation in Laos and the plight of the Lao and Hmong people currently suffering under the regime.

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

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