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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Society of Travel Agents, Inc. (ASTA)			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1101 King Street			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Alexandria Virginia, 22314 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Barbara E. O'Hara	Telephone (703) 739-6842	E-mail (optional) BOHARA@ASTAHQ.COM	5. Senate ID # 3504-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Self			6. House ID # 30488000

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-Dec

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 Lobbyin

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p><b>INCOME</b> 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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</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><b>EXPENSES</b> 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>10,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Barbara E. O'Hara Date 8/7/03

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached.

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

U.S. House of Representatives  
U.S. Senate  
Department of Transportation

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Paul M. Ruden	Senior Vice President, Legal & Industry Affairs
Barbara E. O'Hara	Vice President, Government Affairs

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

*Barbara E. O'Hara*

*2/7/12*

Signature *Barbara E. O'Hara* Date 01/1/02

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16. Specific Lobbying Issues – Aviation

H.R. 2115 – Flight 100—Century of Aviation Reauthorization Act – supported Sec. 429 Recommendation concerning travel agents as defined by the National Commission to Ensure Consumer Information and Choice in the Airline Industry.

S. 824 – Aviation Investment and Revitalization Vision Act – supported Sen. Conrad Burns amendment to include language on travel agent recommendation as defined by the National Commission to Ensure Consumer Information and Choice in the Airline Industry.

Lobbied Congress, filed comments and reply comments regarding the DOT Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) on Computer Reservations System (CRS) Regulations. Testified before the House Small Business Regulatory Reform and Oversight Subcommittee on the NPRM’s Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis. Petitioned for Fact Hearing on CRS Regulations.

- Docket OST-1997-2881
- Docket OST-97-3014
- Docket OST-98-4775
- Docket OST-99-5888

Filed comments on Docket OST-2001-10429-32 regarding approval of and antitrust immunity for alliance agreements.



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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Public Law 107-56 Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism -- Filed comments on Advance Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Anti-Money Laundering Programs for Travel Agents.

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

Department of Treasury

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Burton J. Rubin	General Counsel
Barbara E. O'Hara	Vice President, Government Affairs

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*Barbara E. O'Hara* *8/7/02*

Signature *Barbara E. O'Hara* Date 6/11/08

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

INS No. 2182-01 Filed comments on passenger manifest requirements implementing Section 402 of the Enhanced Border Security and Visa Entry Reform Act

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

Department of Justice

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Burton J. Rubin	General Counsel

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*B. J. Rubin*

*9/19/02*

Signature Burton J. Rubin Date 11/1/11

Printed Name and Title Burton J. Rubin, General Counsel

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2802 - Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act - sought expansion of the SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loan program for the travel and tourism industry.  
Regulatory Flexibility Act - Lobbied House and Senate Small Business Committees and Small Business Administration to weigh in on the Department of Transportation Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Computer Reservation Systems Regulation regarding DOT's Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis (IRFA) on small business travel agencies. Also testified before the House Small Business Regulatory Reform and Oversight on DOT's IRFA.

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

U.S. House of Representatives  
U.S. Senate  
Small Business Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Barbara E. O'Hara	Vice President, Government Affairs
Paul M. Ruden	Sr. Vice President, Legal & Industry Affairs

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*Barbara E. O'Hara*

*01/17/12*

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2071 - Export Freedom to Cuba Act of 2003 - to allow travel between the United States and Cuba  
S. 950 - Freedom to Travel to Cuba Act of 2003 - to allow travel between the United States and Cuba

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

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Burton J. Rubin	General Counsel

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*Barbara E. O'Hara*

*8/7/03*

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date 1/1/11

Printed Name and Title Barbara E. O'Hara, Vice President Government Affairs