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	Del Monte,	Brent		
	Doney, Johr	1		
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	Gasper, Gai	ry		

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18a	Lobbyist Name	Giordano, Nick
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Grab, Francis
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Koshgarian, Dave
18b	Covered Official Position	Chief of Staff, Office of Congressman Ben Cardin
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	McGuinness, Marty
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Meltzer, Richard
18b	Covered Official Position	<u>.</u>
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Moseley, Phil
18b	Covered Official Position	N/
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Phelps, Anne
18b	Covered Official Position	Special Asst. to the President for Domestic Policy
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	Porter, John
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Rozen, Bob
18b	Covered Official Position	N
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Steele Flynn, Donna
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Urban, Tim
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Wolff, Candi
18b	Covered Official Position	Asst. & Deputy Asst. to Vice President, Leg.Aff.
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	Del Monte, F	Brent			
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15.	General issue area code RET (or	ne per page)
16.	Specific Lobbying issues general retirement issues retirement security pension reform	
17.	House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies Department of Treasury Executive Office of the President	contacted
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