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1. Registrant Name Orbital Sciences Corporation			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 21839 Atlantic Blvd. City Dulles State/Zip (or Country) VA 20166			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Mark E. Bitterman	Telephone 703-406-5523	E-mail (optional) bitterman.mark@orbital.com	5. Senate ID # 30278-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 31236000

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 Lobbyi

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p>INCOME 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>EXPENSES 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>\$60,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) the Internal Revenue Code</p>

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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 AER (one per page)

- 16. Specific Lobbying issues
 - FY04, , NASA Appropriations Act**
 - HR-2658, , FY04 Defense Appropriations Act**
 - NSPD-15, , National Space Policy**
 - NSTC-4, , National Space Transportation Policy**


17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
- Department of Commerce**
 - Department of Defense**
 - Department of State**
 - Department of Transportation**
 - Executive Office of the President**
 - House of Representatives**
 - National Security Council**

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Bitterman, Mark E.	
Morris, Ed	

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



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17a	House of Congress/Agencies	Office of Science and Technology Policy
17a	House of Congress/Agencies	Office of U.S. Trade Representative
17a	House of Congress/Agencies	Senate

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

FY04, , NASA, FY04 VA/HUD/Independent Agencies Appropriations Bill

HR-1588, , FY04 Defense Authorization Bill (Air Force RDT&E, Defense Wide RDT&E, Navy RDT&E, Air Procurement

S.1050, , FY04 Defense Authorizations Act

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

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**Department of Defense
House of Representatives
National Aeronautics & Space Administration
National Security Council
Office of Management and Budget
Office of Science and Technology Policy
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15. General issue area code DEF (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

HR-2658, , FY04 Defense Appropriations Bill (Air Force RDT&E, Defense Wide RDT&E, Navy RDT&E, Ai Procurement)

NSPD-15, , National Space Policy

NSTC-4, , National Space Transportation Policy

S.1050, , FY04 Defense Authorizations Act

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- Department of Commerce**
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15. General issue area code SCI (one per page)

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NSPD-15, , National Space Policy
S.1050, , FY04 Defense Authorization Act

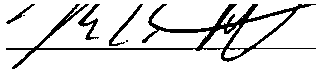
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15. General issue area code TRD (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
NSPD-15, , National Space Policy
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Department of Commerce
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EOP/Office of Science and Technology Policy
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