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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration

1. Effective Date of Registration 4/16/2003

2. House Identification Number _____

Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Alston & Bird LLP
 Address 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., North Building, 10th Floor
 City Washington State D.C. Zip 20004-2
 4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)
 City Atlanta State/Zip (or Country) Georgia Zip 30309-3
 5. Telephone number and contact name
(202) 756-3342 Contact Jonathan M. Winer E-mail (optional) jwiner@alston.
 6. General description of registrant's business or activities Law Firm

CLIENT *A lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists check the box labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* Self

7. Client name MDS America, Inc.
 Address 729 S. Federal Hwy, Suite 212
 City Stuart State FL Zip 3
 8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)
 City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 9. General description of client's business or activities _____

LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If an individual in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of acting as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|---------------------------|---|
| <u>Frederick M. Joyce</u> | |
| <u>Thomas M. Boyd</u> | |

Marianne R. Casserly

Jonathan M. Winer

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Registrant Name Alston & Bird LLP Client Name MDS America, Inc.

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form 1
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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

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AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant during the semiannual period and in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

No ⇒ Go to line 14. Yes ↓ Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

| Name | Address | Principal Place of Business (city and state or country) |
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FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes the lobbying activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the lobbying activity?

No ⇒ Sign and date the registration. Yes ↓ Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then sign and date the registration.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities |
|---|---|---|--|
| Jean-Claude Ducasse | MDS International ZAC la Ronze 69440 Taluyers France | France | 47.9375% |
| Sheik Ali al-Khalifa al-Othman al-Sabah | 7 Wahran Street Kuwait City Kuwait | Kuwait | 47.9375% |

Signature *[Handwritten Signature]* Date 5/29/

Printed Name and Title **Jonathan M. Winer – Counsel**