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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Thelen Reid & Priest, LLP			
2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported 701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 800 Washington, D.C. 20004			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: New York		State/Zip (or Country) NY 10019	
4. Contact Name Howard A. Cooper	Telephone (202) 508-4301	E-mail (optional) hcooper@thelenreid.com	5. Senate ID # 32998-113
7. Client Name ☐ Self Edison Electric Institute			6. House ID # 32200023

TYPE OF REPORT \$ 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	
12. Lobbying Firms INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☒ \$ 100,000.00 Income (nearest \$20,000) 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 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☒ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. ☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only ☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code ☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Howard A. Cooper

Printed Name and Title, Howard A. Cooper, Partner

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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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Amending tax-exempt bond rules relating to governmentally-owned electric and gas utilities. Amending private activity bond regulations. Regulations under Code Section 141-150.

Amending Code Section 468A relating to contributions to qualified nuclear decommissioning trust funds.

Amending Code Sections 118, 355, 501(c)(12), 1033 and 7701 as part of electric industry compromise..

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

☐ Check if None

United States Senate
House of Representatives
Treasury Department
Internal Revenue Service

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Howard A. Cooper, Partner		☐
Raymond F. Dacek, Of Counsel		☐
Thomas M. Helton, Associate		☐
Martha G. Pugh, Associate		☐
Gregory G. Pavin, Partner		☒
Laura R. Brandt, Associate		☒
Joshua P. Weiss, Associate		☒
		☐

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

☐ Check if None

Signature Howard A. Cooper

Date 8/12/06

Printed Name and Title Howard A. Cooper, Partner