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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW SUITE 500 City WASHINGTON State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name TERRI PAULK	Telephone 202 628 1700	E-mail (optional) TERRIP@PRESTONGATES.COM	5. Senate ID # 32098-101
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self BROWN-FORMAN CORP.			6. House ID # 31355004

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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 Activities ☐

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$80,000.00</u> <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small>	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small>
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of methods. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

Client Name: BROWN-FORMAN CORP.

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 ADV (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Spirits advertising.

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

☐ Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
GARVIE, PAMELA	
MEEDS, LLOYD	
NURNBERGER, RALPH	
ROUVELAS, EMANUEL	
STEPHENS, DENNIS	
VALENTINE, STEVEN	

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

☒ Check if None

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Korbel champagne label issues.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted
Department of Treasury
The White House

☐ Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
GARVIE, PAMELA	
O'NEIL, MICHAEL	
VALENTINE, STEVEN	

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R.2, S.2, Jobs and Growth Tax Act of 2003,

H.R.2023, To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the rate of tax on distilled spirits to its pre-Puerto Rico's discriminatory tax scheme against spirits.

S.1054 , Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003,

Section 5010 Wine Credit.

Extraterritorial Income Act.

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

☐ Check if None

Department of Treasury

House of Representatives

Senate

The White House

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
COAKLEY, CHRIS	Executive Assistant for Rep. Richard Gephardt
CONNER, DARRELL	
EVANS, MICHAEL	Chief Cnsl & Dep. Staff Director - Senate Fin Comm
GARVIE, PAMELA	
GLEGOLA, THOMAS	
GORTON, SLADE	U.S. Senator
MEEDS, LLOYD	

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	MORSE, ROGER
18b	Covered Official Position	Legislative Director to Cong. Van Hilleary
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	MOSHER, SOL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	O'NEIL, MICHAEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	ROUVELAS, EMANUEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	SCANLON, MICHAEL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	SEE, CHAD
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	STEPHENS, DENNIS
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	THOMAS, W. DAVID
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	VALENTINE, STEVEN
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**Made contacts concerning Superior Alcohol Standards.
US-EU negotiations on wine.**

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

☐ Check if None

House of Representatives

USTR

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

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GARVIE, PAMELA	
MOSHER, SOL	
O'NEIL, MICHAEL	

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City State/Zip (or Country)

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

FIN, HCR

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

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

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant or affiliated organization

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