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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name <b>Dyer Ellis &amp; Joseph, P.C.</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address <b>600 New Hampshire Ave., N.W.</b> 11th Floor City <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20037</b> <b>USA</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <b>Jennifer M. Southwick</b>	Telephone <b>202-944-3000</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>jms@dejlaw.com</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>12892-51</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>FastShip, Inc.</b>	6. House ID # <b>31821-005</b>		

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. 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

<b>INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13</b>	
<p><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p><b>INCOME</b> 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> &gt;&gt; \$ <u>\$340,000.00</u> 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><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p><b>EXPENSES</b> 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 type="checkbox"/> &gt;&gt; \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 02/07/2001

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Registrant Name: Dyer Ellis & Joseph, P.C.Client Name: FastShip, Inc.

**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 MAR (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R. 4205/S. 2549, FY2001 Department of Defense Authorization, issues relating to Title XI funding

H.R. 4696, FY2001 Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations, issues relating to Title XI funding

S. 937/S. 2549, FY2001 Maritime Administration Authorization, issues relating to Title XI funding

Vessel Financing Issues

Issues related to Title XI funding

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

 Check if None

House of Representatives

Maritime Administration

Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Bernstein Mathews, Lara		No
Bondareff, Joan	Chief Counsel, Maritime Administration	No
Criek Sahatjian, Laurie		No
Dillenburg Rifka, Margaret	Minority Staff, Hse. Iran/Contra Investigation Comm.	No
Drewry, James S.	Democratic General Counsel, Senate Commerce Comm.	No
Dyer, Thomas M.		No
Ellis II, James B.		No

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

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Graykowski, John
18b	Covered Official Position	Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	Keup, Wayne A.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Naftzger, Christopher
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Schachte, William
18b	Covered Official Position	RADM, U.S. Navy
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Smith III, Duncan C.
18b	Covered Official Position	Chief Counsel, Merchant Marine and Fisheries Comm.
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Southwick, Jennifer M.
18b	Covered Official Position	Staff Asst., Transportation & Infrastructure Comm.
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Wyler, Marcus
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

Registrant Name: Dyer Ellis & Joseph, P.C.Client Name: FastShip, Inc.**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  
Snyder, Todd D.**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

**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	Ownership % in client

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

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