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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check One: New Registrant New Client for Existing Registrant Amendment

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1. Effective Date of Registration 02/

2. House Identification 33510

Senate Identification 13142

REGISTRANT Organization Individual

3. Registrant Organization EDMISTEN & WEBB LAW FIRM

Address 132 S. SALISBURY STREET Address2 _____
City RALEIGH State NC Zip 27601 - _____ Cot _____

4. Principal place of business (if different than line 3)

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ - _____ Cot _____

5. Contact name and telephone number International Number

Contact Mr. Rufus Edmisten Telephone (919) 829-1988 E-mail rufus@rufusedmisten.com

6. General description of registrant's business or activities

Federal Governmental Lobbying

CLIENT *A Lobbying Firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* Self

7. Client name Philip Morris USA, Inc., by its service company Altria Corporate Services, Inc.

Address 101 Constitution Ave., NW - Suite 400-W
City Washington State DC Zip 20001 - _____ Cot _____

8. Principal place of business (if different than line 7)

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ - _____ Cot _____

9. General description of client's business or activities

Tobacco Manufacturer

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 any person in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years 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)
First	Last	Suffix	
Rufus	Edmisten		

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LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, 1

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

- Preventing youth access to tobacco products.
- Tax deductibility of certain tobacco related expenditures
- Protection of processors and growers.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in a 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 match criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business
Street City	State/Province Zip Code Country	City State Country

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity

- 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 act 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 lobbying activity?

No --> Sign and date the registration.

Yes --> Complete the rest of this section for each entity match the criteria above, then sign the registration.

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities
Street City	State/Province Country	City State Country	

Signature Digitally Signed By: Rufus L. Edmisten Date 02/02

US, DST Aces Unaffiliated Individual, Rufus L. Edmisten

Printed Name and Title Rufus Edmisten, Partner of Edmisten & Webb Law Firm

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