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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Association of Trial Lawyers of America			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1050 31st Street, N.W.			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): D.C., 20007			
4. Contact Name Dan Cohen	Telephone (202) 965-3500	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 4733-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 31241000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>1,100,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) 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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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 CSP (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.775 (Y2K Act; earlier called Year 2000 Readiness and Responsibility Act)
S. 96 (Y2K Act)
H.R.192 (Year 2000 Consumer Protection Plan Act)
S. 461 (Year 2000 Fairness and Responsibility Act)
S. 738 (Y2K Fairness in Litigation Act)
H.R.1319 (Y2K Fairness in Litigation Act)

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate
White House (Executive Office of the President)
Department of Justice

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Linda Lipsen		<input type="checkbox"/>
Dan Cohen		<input type="checkbox"/>
Martha Johnston		<input type="checkbox"/>
Philip Buchan		<input type="checkbox"/>
Susan Steinman		<input type="checkbox"/>
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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 GOV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

(Bills relating to the jurisdiction of Federal and State Courts, and to the operation of the Federal Courts)

- S. 353 (Class Action Fairness Act)
- H.R. 1875 (Interstate Class Action Jurisdiction Act)
- H.R. 967 (Multiparty, Multiforum Jurisdiction Act)
- S. 248 (Judicial Improvements Act)
- H.R. 1852 (Multidistrict Trial Jurisdiction Act)
- H.R. 2112 (Multidistrict, Multiparty, Multiforum Jurisdiction Act)
- H.R. 1752 (Federal Courts Improvement Act)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1475 (Auto Choice Reform Act)
S. 837 (Auto Choice Reform Act)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 1283 (Fairness in Asbestos Compensation Act)
- S. 758 (Fairness in Asbestos Compensation Act)
- H.R. 603 (Airline Disaster Disaster Relief Act; relating to recovery for wrongful death under the Death on the High Seas Act)
- S. 82 (FAA Authorization Bill; provisions relating to recovery for wrongful death under the Death on the High Seas Act)
- S. 1185 (Small Business Liability Reform Act)

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Signature *Linda Lipsen* Date _____
Printed Name and Title Linda Lipsen, Senior Dir. Public Affairs