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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name **Patton Boggs LLP**	
2. Address __Check if diffferent than previously report **2550 M Street, NW** **Washington, DC 20037**	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: State/Zip (or Country)	
4. Contact Name Telephone E-mail (optional) **James B. Christian 202-457-6484**	5. Senate ID # **30906-1154**
7. Client Name __Self **Homestake Mining**	6. House ID # **31917156**

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year **2003** Midyear (January 1-June 30) __ OR Year End (July 1-December 31) _X_

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report X

10. Check if this is a Termination Report __ ⇨ Termination Date 11. No Lobbying Activity X

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 _X_ $10,000 or more ___ ⇨ 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 anyother entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).	**EXPENSES** relating to lobbying activities for this r period were: Less than $10,000 _ $10,000 or more ⇨ $_____ Expenses (nearest $20,000) **14. REPORTING METHOD**. Check box to indicat expense accounting method. See instructions for des of options. _**Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitic _**Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(the Internal Revenue Code _**Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e Internal Revenue Code

Signature John B. Christian 2/18/04

Printed Name and Title **James B. Christian, Partner**