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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration

1. Effective Date of Registration October 1, 2004

2. House Identification Number _____ Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP
 Address 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW
 City Washington State DC Zip 200
 4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)
 City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 5. Telephone number and contact name
 (202) 887-4000 Contact Bill Paxon E-mail (optional) _____
 6. General description of registrant's business or activities
A law firm

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

7. Client name Council on Foundations
 Address 1828 L Street, NW
 City Washington State DC Zip 200
 8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)
 City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 9. General description of client's business or activities
Association of grant making foundations

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 acting 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)
Bill Paxon	
Paul G. Scolese	

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Registrant Name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP Client Name Council on Foundations

LOBBYING ISSUES

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

TAX

12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Tax treatment of private foundations

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

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

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)
See attached list		

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

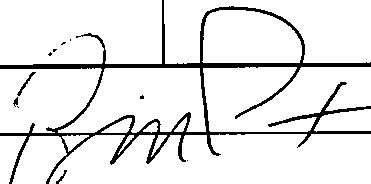
- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or in any organization identified on line 13; or
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or supports the activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the lobbying activity?

No ⇨ Sign and date the registration.

Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for each matching the criteria above, then sign and date registration.

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

Signature



Date November 12, 2004

Printed Name and Title

Bill Paxon, Senior Advisor

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Council on Foundations
Affiliated Organizations

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)
Carnegie Corporation of New York	437 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10022	New York, NY
The Ford Foundation	320 East 43rd Street New York, NY 10017	New York, NY
W. K. Kellogg Foundation	One Michigan Avenue East Battle Creek, MI 49017	Battle Creek, MI
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	1200 Mott Foundation Building Flint, MI 48502	Flint, MI
The David & Lucile Packard Foundation	300 Second Street, Suite 200 Los Altos, CA 94022	Los Altos, CA
The Rockefeller Foundation	420 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10018	New York, NY
John D. & Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	140 South Dearborn Street, Suite 1100 Chicago, IL 60603	Chicago, IL
William & Flora Hewlett Foundation	525 Middlefield Road, Suite 200 Menlo Park, CA 94025	Menlo Park, CA

