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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <u>COMMONWEALTH BRANDS, INC.</u>			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>900 CHURCH STREET</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <u>BOWLING GREEN</u> State/Zip (or Country) <u>KENTUCKY 4210</u>			
4. Contact Name <u>JOHN C. POLING II</u>	Telephone <u>(270) 781-9100</u>	E-mail (optional) <u>j.poling@cbriemail.com</u>	5. Senate ID # <u>91213-1</u>
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # <u>36760C</u>

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31) 2004

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

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p align="center">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME 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 type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ 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 align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>170,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____

Printed Name and Title JOHN C. POLING II, PRESIDENT

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Registrant Name COMMONWEALTH BRANDS INC Client Name (SELF)

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, information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

TOBACCO QUOTA BUYOUT
FDA REGULATION OF TOBACCO

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

SENATE
HOUSE
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<u>QUINTEN MARQUETTE</u>	
<u>JAY HAWKINS</u>	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Joe C Polyz II Date Sept 19, 21

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Registrant Name COMMONWEALTH BRANDS, INC. Client Name (SELF)

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

TIMOTHY LIVESAY ROB WILKEY
 JOHN POLING
 SPENCER COATES

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

HOUCITENS INDUSTRIES, INC.

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	C P C

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

Signature *John Poling* Date Sept 19, 20

Printed Name and Title JOHN C. POLING II, PRESIDENT

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