

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV**

2. Address:

3400 N CHARLES ST, BALTIMORE, MD 21218

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

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Senate ID #: 20664-12

House ID #: 30347000

7. Client Name:  Self

## TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2003 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:

\$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 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:

\$10,000 or more:  => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 320,000.00

### 14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

**Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

**Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

**Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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15. General issue area code: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2660/S.1356, "Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2004": supported and advocated for passage of the following items: supported the Ad Hoc Group for Medical Research Funding, AAMC and AAU recommendations for an increase of 10 percent to the National Institutes of Health budget; continued to support the advocacy effort of AAU for increased funding for extramural facilities construction through the National Institutes of Health; advocated for a variety of student financial assistance programs such as Pell Grant appropriation to \$14 billion, \$115 million increase to the Supplemental Educational Opportunities Grant, \$157 million increase to Federal Work-Study, \$40.6 million increase to the Perkins Loan Program, and increase to the GAANN/Javits fellowships: HR 2861, "Department of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2004": supported AAU's advocacy for a \$7.7 billion increase in NASA Science, Aeronautics and Exploration activities; \$34 million additional for the Office of Earth Science and an increase of \$39 million for the Office of Biological and Physical Research; specifically advocated for continued funding for the Solar Probe which provides for the next mission at Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory, Space Department; advocated for an NSF budget of \$6.4 billion with particular support for the graduate programs like the Graduate Research Fellowship and support for funding areas to support the Nanotechnology Consortium in Maryland; advocated for continued support from EPA for the Center for Urban Asthma Studies and \$250 thousand to conduct a review of the Baltimore region air quality data. HR 2555, "Homeland Security Act, 2004": urged appropriations for a Science and Technology Directorate and new funding for science and technology as well as university-based research within the Homeland Security area. HR 2658/S.1382, "Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2004": advocated for continued growth in support for DOD Science, with particular emphasis on basic (6.1) and applied (6.2) research; opposed the proposed "devolvement" of certain S&T programs and opposed the transfer of the National Security Education Program to DOE.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: CURRENT, MAX C.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: HUSON, MARGARET  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: MCINTOSH, MAGGIE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: ROBERTSON, LINDA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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15. General issue area code: CPT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitored HR 107, the "Digital Media Consumers' Rights Act of 2003", HR 2344, the "Intellectual Property Protection Restoration Act of 2003."

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: HUSON, MARGARET

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCINTOSH, MAGGIE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ROBERTSON, LINDA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Worked collaboratively with ACE, NAICU, NASULGC, and AAU to establish the university community positions on the Reauthorization of the Higher Education Act, HR 6. Have advocated for: increased access to higher education for low-income students by strengthening support for grants and early intervention programs, particularly the Pell Grant program; increase in financial aid support for graduate education through GAANN, Javits and FLAS fellowship and grant programs; increased access to both undergraduate and graduate education by raising student loan borrowing limits and providing for a more flexible means of calculating individual student aid packages; reducing the regulatory burden on universities; and ensuring accountability of institutions through an accreditation system and providing a decentralized system of higher education accreditation. Advocated for FY 2004 budget level reflecting the above priorities (See budget).

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15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Communicated several issues concerning academic health centers to the Secretary of Health and Human Services including: implementation of HIPAA rules and the development of electronic patient record systems, concerns about medical malpractice, bioterrorism and facilities funding. Specifically, Johns Hopkins is part of a Maryland/DC E-Health Initiative to devise a regional electronic patient record system; we are monitoring HR 663 and S 720, both Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Acts that create voluntary systems for tracking medical errors and promise confidentiality to hospitals and doctors; monitoring HR 5, "Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-Cost, Timely Healthcare (HEALTH) Act of 2003," that sets a cap on medical liability; and monitoring any Congressional activity that may result from recent court decisions regarding patent infringement claims. Advocated for funding and monitored NIH and NSF budgets along with Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) see budget section. Monitored S.1504/HR 2122, "Project BioShield Act of 2003," HCR 95,S. 1505 and HSA smallpox vaccination program implementation.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)  
SENATE

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Name: HUSON, MARGARET  
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Name: ROBERTSON, LINDA  
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15. General issue area code: HOU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Requested and received support from Senators Sarbanes and Mikulski for a \$400 thousand HUD Community Outreach Partnership Center grant proposal from Johns Hopkins University Office of Government, Community and Public Affairs. Supported the City of Baltimore Department of Housing and Community Development's request for HUD approval of 108 Loan agreement of \$18 million. The loan funding will be used by the City for the East Baltimore Development Inc. project located north of Johns Hopkins Hospital. Supported the City of Baltimore Mayor's office request on behalf of the East Baltimore Development Inc. for \$10 million in FY 2004 HUD/VA Appropriations bill for redevelopment activities including large-scale property acquisition and demolition; economic development and job creation as well as re-development of housing anchored by a biotech facility located near Johns Hopkins Hospital. \$1 million was provided for this purpose in fiscal year 2003.

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15. General issue area code: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Advocated with AAMC, and other interested organizations to reach consensus on eligibility requirements for non-accredited subspecialty fellowship programs under J-1 visa; joined AAU in raising concerns about mandatory interviews of all H-1 visa holders which includes foreign students-concern was time frame and delays on academic year. Requested and received letters of support from Senators Mikulski and Sarbanes for one student and two faculty members who had visa issues or delays.

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SENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: MED (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitored HR 801, the "Cloning Prohibition Act of 2003," S. 245, "Human Cloning Prohibition Act of 2003," S. 303, the "Human Cloning Ban and Stem Cell Research Protection Act of 2003," HR 534, the "Human Cloning Prohibition Act of 2003," HR 916, "Human Cloning Research Prohibition Act," and HR 2852, the "Stem Cell Act of 2003." Also, S. 415, "Consumer Involvement in Breast Cancer Research Act," and S. 314, "Foundation for the National Institutes of Health Improvement Act."

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ROBERTSON, LINDA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Communicated to the Maryland Congressional Delegation Johns Hopkins Medicine's support of the Senate version of HJR 2, "Consolidated Appropriations Resolution, 2003," to provide temporary relief for certain Medicare providers; joined AAMC to advocate a re-calculation of the Medicare Economic Index. Advocated for an amendment sponsored by Hutchison and Kennedy to restore Indirect Medical Education (IME) payment to 6.5% level that Medicare paid until last fall as set forth by S. 899, "American Hospital Preservation Act of 2003." Monitored the Senate and House Medicare prescription drug package and HR 328, "Access to Hospitals Act of 2003." HR 1, "Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003," and S.1, "Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003"; advocated on behalf of the CMS formula for physician payments, regulatory relief in negotiation of inpatient drugs at 340B hospitals, competitive bidding nationwide to achieve more cost savings in home health care, and average wholesale pricing of certain drugs.

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: ROBERTSON, LINDA  
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Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2003

Printed Name and Title: LINDA ROBERTSON - VP FOR GOVERNMENT, COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS