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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 08/29/2005
 2. House Identification Number 31784 Senate Identification Number 682

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP
 Address 1333 New Hampshire Ave., NW
 City Washington State DC Zip 20036 USA
 4. Principal place of business (if different than line 3)
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 5. Telephone number and contact name
202-887-4117 Contact Ms. Margaret Stosik E-mail mstosik@akingump.com

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 the box labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* Self

7. Client name Corning Inc.
 Address 1350 Eye Street, NW - Suite 500
 City Washington State DC Zip 20005 USA

8. Principal place of business (if different than line 7)
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____

9. General description of client's business or activities
Manufacturer of optical fiber

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 listed has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first 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)
Grant Aldonas	Und. Sec. for Int'l. Trd., US DOC, 3/2000 to 3/2005
Suresh Maniam	
Carol Petty	

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LOBBYING ISSUES

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

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Chinese market access for Corning products related to recent Chinese antidumping case.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

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

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13: **OR**
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes activ 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 outcome of t lobbying activity?

No ⇒ Sign and date the registration.

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

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

Signature

Date

10/31/05

Printed Name and Title

Grant Aldonas, Partner

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