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03 AUG 2003**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name <u>James NICHOLAS ASHMORE & Associates</u>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>1156 15th St, N.W., Suite Washington, D.C. 20005</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) <u>SAME</u>			
City:		State/Zip (or Country)	
4. Contact Name <u>James N. Ashmore</u>	Telephone <u>(202) 452 1003</u>	E-mail (optional) <u>jashmore@erols.com</u>	5. Senate ID # <u>4391-9</u>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <u>Northwest Horticultural Council</u>			6. House ID # <u>332460</u>

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 Act **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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exact accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature James Nicholas AshmorePrinted Name and Title James Nicholas Ashmore, President

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Registrant Name Associates

Client Name Northwest Horticulture

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the 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 AGR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues seeking language for Committee Rep accompany legislation making appropriations for the of Agriculture for fiscal 2004 (H.R. 2673 and: That language sought to strengthen the cooperative relationship between USDA and the tree fruit industry insure completion of ongoing efforts to develop a Roadmap for the tree fruit industry.

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

Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate
USDA

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<u>James N. Ashmore, president</u>	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature James Nicholas Ashmore

Date August 11, 2004

Printed Name and Title James Nicholas Ashmore, president

