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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Powers, Pyles, Sutter & Verville, P.C.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Twelfth Floor, 1875 Eye Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20006-5409			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Judith A. Buckalew	Telephone (202) 466-6550	E-mail (optional) jbuckalew@ppsv.com	5. Senate ID # 32008-137
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Home Health Services and Staffing Association			6. House ID # 32107004

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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

<p>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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>20,000</u> <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature _____

Printed Name and Title _____

Powers, Pyles,
Sutter & Verville, PC
Registrant Name _____ Client Name Home Health Services and Staffing Assn. _____

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

P.L. 106-113, Medicare, Medicaid, SCHIP Balanced Budget Refinement Act of 1999, Title
P.L. 105-33, Balanced Budget Act of 1997, Title IV
P.L. ~~105-277~~, Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 1999, Title ~~V~~
S. 1414, Medicare Home Health Beneficiary Equity & Payment Simplification Act of 1999
Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System for Home Health Agencies; Proposed Rule
64 Fed. Reg. 58134

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

U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Health Care Financing Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
James C. Pyles	Principal
Amy E. Bacon	Legislative Director

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

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name and Title _____

Powers, Pyles

Registrant Name Sutter & Verville, PC Client Name Home Health Services and Staffing Assn.

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

Judith A. Buckalew, Director, Public Policy and Government Relations

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)

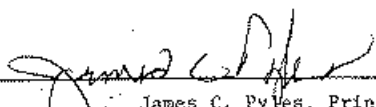
26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

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	Ownership percentage in client

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

Signature  Date 2/14/2000

Printed Name and Title James C. Pyles, Principal