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# LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name King & Spalding		
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1730 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.		
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): D.C. 20006		
4. Contact Name Theodore M. Hester	Telephone 202-626-2901	5. Senate ID# 21632-494
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc.		6. House ID# 30750043

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2000 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 EXPENSE - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>60,000</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	<b>EXPENSE</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ Expenses (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).	<b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

Registrant Name King & Spalding

Client Name Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc.

**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 AUT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Congressional investigations of tire recalls, including issues pertaining to tire recycling and monitoring S. 3059, the Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Equipment Defect Notification Improvement Act, and H.R. 5164, the Transportation Recall Enhancement, Accountability, and Documentation (TREAD) Act [H.R. 5164 became Public Law 106-414].

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

U.S. House  
U.S. Senate  
Department of Energy

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Bill Talmadge		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Theodore M. Hester		<input type="checkbox"/>
Eleanor Hill	Inspector General, Department of Defense, 1995-99	<input type="checkbox"/>
Beth Jafari	Legislative Director, Rep. Joe Barton, 1994-99	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allison Kassir		

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

Bridgestone Corporation, identified on the L.D.-1, owns Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc. and has an interest in the outcome of congressional investigations of tire recalls

Signature  2/14/01

Printed Name and Title Theodore M. Hester, Partner