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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name

Birch Horton Bittner & Cherot

2. Address

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Check if different than previously reported

1155 Connecticut Ave NW

Suite 1200

Washington

DC

20036

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

City

State/Zip or Country

4a. Contact Name

b. Telephone number

c. E-mail

Ms. Jennifer Akre

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5. Senate ID #

6256-

7. Client Name

☐ Self

American Financial Group

6. House ID #

31579

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2004

Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☐

OR

Year End (July 1-Decen

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

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 ☒ ⇒ \$ 40,000

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 rep were:

Less than \$10,000 ☐

\$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ _____

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of

☐ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definiti

☐ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033 Internal Revenue Code

☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(i) Revenue Code

Signature

Jennifer Akre

Date

2/14/05

Printed Name and Title Jennifer Akre, Legislative Paralegal

Registrant Name Birch Horton Bittner & CherotClient Name American Financial Group

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant was 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 TRA - Transportation (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Issues relating to Amtrak

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

House of Representatives
Senate

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

Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Ronald	Birch	
Douglas	Fuller	
Elaine	Acevedo	
Donna	Lagow	
Jennifer	Akre	

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

Signature _____

Date _____

Registrant Name Birch Horton Bittner & Cherot Client Name American Financial Group

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State/Zip

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

Elaine

Acevedo

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues 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

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

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name and Title **Jennifer Akre, Legislative Paralegal**

