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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 1/1/2002
2. House Identification Number 32229171 Senate Identification Number 12868-87

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant Name **The Dutko Group Companies, Inc**
Address **412 First Street SE Suite 100**
City **Washington** State **DC** Zip **20003**
4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)
City State/Zip (or Country)
5. Telephone number and contact name Contact E-Mail (optional)
Arthur Silverman
6. General description of registrant's business or activities
Lobbying and Public Policy Management

CLIENT *A lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.* Self

7. Client Name **Bernard Technologies, Inc.**
Address **919 N. Michigan Avenue** **Suite 1710**
City **Chicago,** State **IL** Zip **60611**
8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)
City State/Zip (or Country)
9. General description of client's business or activities
Security Technology firm

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 in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first acting as a lobbyist for this client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Stephen Brown	
Mark Irion	
William Simmons	

Registrant Name: **The Dutko Group Companies, Inc**

Client Name: **Bernard Technologies, Inc.**

LOBBYING ISSUES

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

ENV, FOO, GOV

12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Monitor food & biology warfare & terrorism security issues

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 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 the 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:

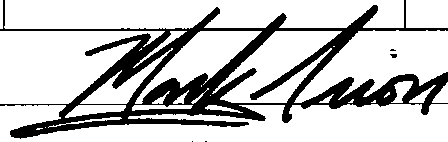
- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances, or subsidizes activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the 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 the registration.

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

Signature



Date **8/14/2002**

Printed Name and Title

Mark Irion - President

JEFF TRANDAHL
CLERK

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
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November 12, 2002

Mr. Arthur Silverman
Dutko Group Companies, Inc. (The)
412 First Street, S.E., #100
Washington, D.C. 20003

RE: Bernard Technologies, Inc. - ID: 32229171

The Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (2 USC 1601) directs the Clerk of the House of Representatives to “review, and, where necessary, verify and inquire to ensure the accuracy, completeness and timeliness of registrations and reports”.

A preliminary review of your 2002 Mid Year Report filed with the Office of the Clerk indicates the following omissions and/or errors:

A Registration must be filed prior to submitting semiannual reports. Please submit a separate Registration on the enclosed forms.

Please file an amended Report Form correcting these omission(s) and/or error(s) within thirty days, with the Legislative Resource Center, B106 Cannon House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the Legislative Resource Center at (202) 226-5200.

***Please Note: The law requires a separate filing with the Secretary of the Senate**

