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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name

American Society of Anesthesiologists

2. Address ❑ Check if different than previously reported

Suite 606, 1101 Vermont Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20005

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)

City: Park Ridge State/Zip (or Country) IL 60068

4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID#
Michael Scott	(202) 289-2222	m.scott@asawash.org	3388-12

7. Client Name ☒ Self	6. House ID#
	31546000

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☒ **OR** Year End (July 1 – December 31)

9. Check of 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

12. Lobbying Firms

Income relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than $10,000 ❑

$10,000 or more ❑ $ _____ Income (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 of the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations

Expenses relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than $10,000 ❑

$10,000 or more ☒ ⇨ $ 560,000 Expenses (nearest $20,000)

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

❑ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

❑ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of th Internal Revenue Code

☒ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature Michael Scott 8/1/03

Printed Name and Title Michael Scott, Director of Governmental Affairs

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Registrant Name ASA Client Name Same

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See Attached

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

Department of Health and Human Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	Nev
Michael Scott		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑

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

Signature Michael Scott Date 8/1/03

Printed Name and Title Michael Scott, Director of Governmental Affairs

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MMM

Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies Under the Physician Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 2003; Final Rule, 67 FR 79996

Physician Fee Schedule payment for services of teaching physicians, 42 CFR section 415.172

Payments to hospitals under the prospective payment systems, 42 CFR section 412.112

Registrant Name ASA Client Name Same

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See Attached

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Department of Defense

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	Nev
Michael Scott		❑
Manuel Bonilla		❑
Diane Turpin		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑
		❑

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

Signature Michael Scott Date 8/1/03

Printed Name and Title Michael Scott, Director of Governmental Affairs

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HCR

Consolidate Appropriations Resolutions, 2003, H.J. Res. 2

Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act, H.R. 1

Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act, S. 1

Patients First Act of 2003, S. 11

Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare Act of 2003, H.R. 5 and S. 607

Medicare Regulatory and Contracting Reform Act of 2003, H.R. 810

Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2003, H.R. 663 and S. 720

National Pain Care Policy Act, H.R. 1120

TRICARE Program; Inclusion of Anesthesiologist's Assistants as Authorized Providers, 68 F.R. 16247