

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUYELAS MEEDS LLP

2. Address:

1735 NEW YORK AVE NW #500, WASHINGTON, DC 20006

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

4. Contact Name: TERRI PAULK

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Senate ID #: 32098-3832

House ID #: 31355-244

7. Client Name: ☐ Self

SPOKANE REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2005 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

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): 60,000.00

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 reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000: ☐

\$10,000 or more: ☐ => 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 the Internal Revenue Code
☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP Client Name: SPOKANE REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1815, S. 1042, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006, BRAC and military construction funding. H.R. 2862, Science, State, Justice, Commerce, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, COPS DOJ project funding and EDA funding. H.R. 2361, Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, USGS and EPA funding for aquifer study and non-point phosphorus study. H.R. 2863, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2006, funding for Fairchild AFB. H.R. 2528, Military Quality of Life and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2006, funding for Fairchild AFB. H.R. 3058, Transportation, Treasury, Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, the District of Columbia, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, highway and rail infrastructure improvement projects and EDI projects.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)

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

Name: COAKLEY, CHRIS

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FLACHBART, AMY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF OF STAFF FOR REP. NETHERCUTT

Name: HEDERMAN, CARYN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SEE, CHAD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: STIMERS, PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: VALENTINE, STEVEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP Client Name: SPOKANE REGIONAL
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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15. General issue area code: DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Support for Fairchild AFB as part of the BRAC Commission review.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Defense, Dept of (DOD)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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

Name: AYRES, LARRY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ONEIL, MICHAEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ROBITAILLE, YVETTE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 3010, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, health care information technology funding and projects. H.R. 2234, 21st Century Health Information Act of 2005. S. 1355, Better Healthcare Through Information Technology Act. FY-06 Budget Reconciliation Act (unnumbered bill), chronic disease management demonstration. Promote regional electronic health record demonstration and telehealth.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Centers For Disease Control & Prevention
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
SENATE

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

Name: COOPER, STEPHEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FLACHBART, AMY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF OF STAFF FOR REP. NETHERCUTT

Name: GEIGER, SUSAN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HEDERMAN, CARYN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PECKINPAUGH, TIM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 11, 2005

Printed Name and Title: TIM PECKINPAUGH - PARTNER