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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name <p style="text-align: center;">Mehlman Vogel Castagnetti, Inc.</p>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <p style="text-align: center;">1341 G Street, Suite 1100 Washington DC 20005</p>			
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2) <p style="text-align: center;">City: _____ State/Zip or Country: _____</p>			
4a. Contact Name	b. Telephone number	c. E-mail	5. Senate ID #
Ms. Tamika Spaulding	202-585-0216	spaulding@mvc-dc.com	
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
D.E. Shaw			3689301

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

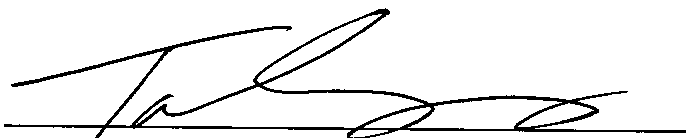
9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____ 11. No Lobbying Act

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p style="text-align: center;">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>30,000</u></p> <p>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).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions and Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(1) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature  Date 8/14/06

Printed Name and Title Tamika Spaulding, Project Manager

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Registrant Name Mehlman Vogel Castagnetti, Inc.

Client Name D.E. Shaw

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which th engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each co** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code BNK - Bankruptcy (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Bankruptcy Legislation

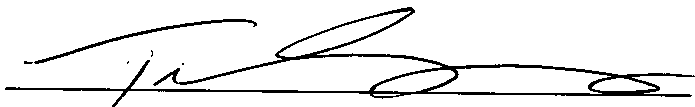
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representation
United States Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Kelly Bingel	Chief of Staff, Sen. Blanche Lincoln
David Castagnetti	
Elise Finley Pickering	Chief of Staff, Rep. Shaddegg, Exec. Director, RPC
Karin Hudson	
Bruce Mehlman	
Dean Rosen	Health Policy Director, Sen. Majority Leader
David Thomas	Chief of Staff, Rep. Zoe Lofgren
Alex Vogel	

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

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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

C. Stewart Verdery Jr.

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	Overseas per client

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

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