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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name Consumer Federation of America			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1424 16th St, NW, Ste. 604 Washington, DC 20036			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Matt Gordon	Telephone 202-387-6121	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 10638-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 31806000

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2000 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	
<p align="center"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></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 type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____  <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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 align="center"><b>13. Organizations</b></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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>80,000</u>  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Travis B. Plunkett

Printed Name and Title Travis B. Plunkett, Legislative Director

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**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 BNK (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues  
S. 625, H.R. 833 Bankruptcy Reform

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
		<input type="checkbox"/>
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
Howard M. Metzenbaum		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 900, H.R. 10 - Financial Services Modernization

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None  
DEPT. of Treasury  
Federal Reserve Board  
FDIC

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues  
H.R. 2944 Electric Deregulation  
Strategic Petroleum Reserve

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

Senate  
House of Reps.  
White House

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark N. Cooper		<input type="checkbox"/>
Howard M. Metzbaum		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code COM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues  
Digital Television

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Cooper		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues  
HR 2723 Managed Care Patient Protections  
HR 1304 Healthcare Provider Antitrust  
S 1172 Drug Patent Extension  
Post-market surveillance of prescription drugs

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

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

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Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
Howard M. Metzenbaum		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code FIR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 534, Regulation of Firearms as a consumer product

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Travis B. Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code CSP (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 761, HR 1714 Digital Signatures

HR 4049, Privacy Commission

HR 4478, Privacy Protections/Child Support Collection

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

Senate  
House

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	Now
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code INS (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 1361, H.R. 21, Disaster Insurance

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

Senate  
House of Reps.

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Travis Plunkett		<input type="checkbox"/>
J. Robert Hunter		<input type="checkbox"/>
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Signature Travis Plunkett Date 8/15/00

Printed Name and Title Travis B. Plunkett, Legislative Director