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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization	Blank Rome Government Relations LLC		
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address1	600 New Hampshire Avenue, NW		
City	Washington	State	DC
		Zip Code	20037
			Country US
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City	State	Zip Code	Country
	State/Zip or Country		
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Ms.	Rebecca South	(202)772-5803	south@blankrome.com
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			5. Senate ID #
Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)			6325-207
			6. House ID #
			3588307

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)

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 Acti

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>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>60,000</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>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting 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 expense accounting method. See instructions for description of opti</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions o</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of I Revenue Code</p>
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Printed Name and Title Rebecca South, Government Relations Administrator

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Registrant Name Blank Rome Government Relations LLC

Client Name Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)

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

15. General issue area code COM - Communications/Broadcasting/Radio/TV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue

Issues related to communications and IP

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

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for this issue*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Barbara	Comstock		Director, Public Affairs, DOJ
Heather	Feinstein		
Melissa	Foxman		

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

Add a page for a different issue area

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Registrant Name Blank Rome Government Relations LLC Client Name Recording Industry Association of America

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

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

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

First Name

Last Name

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ISSUE UPDATE

Find the code to select below.

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)
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State Country
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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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	Own per cent
Street Address	City	City		
	State/Province Country	State Country		

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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Barbara Costello

Printed Name and Title Rebecca South, Government Relations Administrator

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