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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, L.L.P.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1333 New Hampshire Avenue, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Smith W. Davis	Telephone 202-887-4000	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID 682-1
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self The Bank of New York			6. House ID 3178

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-D

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 Lobby

### 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 to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

**13. Organizations**  
**EXPENSES** relating to lobbying activities for this r were:  
Less than \$10,000   
\$10,000 or more  ⇔ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenses (near

**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indic accounting method. See instructions for description

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA defi  
 **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6 Internal Revenue Code  
 **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 1 Internal Revenue Code

Signature

*Smith W Davis*  
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Date February 14, 2005

Printed Name and Title Smith W. Davis, Partner

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