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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Horse Council			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1700 K Street, NW, Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name James J. Hickey, Jr.	Telephone (202) 296-4031	E-mail (optional) ahc@horsecouncil.org	5. Senate ID # 2560-00012
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 33923000		

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

<b>12. Lobbying Firms</b>  INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ 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).	<b>13. Organizations</b>  EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ 40,000 Expenses (nearest \$20,000)  <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code
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Signature James J. Hickey, Jr.

Printed Name and Title James J. Hickey, Jr. President

Registrant Name \_\_\_\_\_ Client Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

20. Client new address \_\_\_\_\_

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip (or 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 \_\_\_\_\_

**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported 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	Ownership percentage in client

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

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Registrant Name American Horse Council Client Name \_\_\_\_\_

**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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

K.R. 8, "Death Tax Elimination Act"

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)	New
Steven D. Ralls	Director of Legislative Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Signature James J. Hickey, Jr. Date 7/28/00  
Printed Name and Title James J. Hickey, Jr. President

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 3125, The "Internet Gambling Prohibition Act of 1999"

H.R. 4419 The "Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act"

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)	New
James J. Hickey, Jr.	President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Steven D. Ralls	Director of Legislative Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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		<input type="checkbox"/>

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Signature James J. Hickey, Jr. Date 7/28/00  
Printed Name and Title James J. Hickey, Jr. President

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 2536, The "Agriculture Appropriations Bill, FY2001"

H.R. 4461, The "Agriculture Appropriations Bill, FY2001"

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)	New
Steven D. Ralls	Director of Legislative Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amy M. Mann	Director Health & Regulatory Affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Signature James J. Hickey, Jr. Date 7/28/00  
Printed Name and Title James J. Hickey, Jr. President