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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW WASHINGTON SUITE 500 DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name ROSANNE PHILLIPS	Telephone 202-628-1700	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self NATIONAL CENTER FOR ECONOMIC FREEDOM, INC.	6. House ID #		

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. 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 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

Signature _____ Date 08/14/2000

Printed Name and Title JACK ABRAMOFF - GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COUNSELOR Page 1 of 3

Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

Client Name: NATIONAL CENTER FOR ECONOMIC FREEDOM, INC.

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 GOV (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

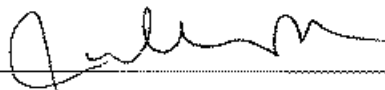
H.R.4463, Empowerment Zones Enhancement Act of 2000,
H.R.2170, Empowerment Zones and Enterprise Communities Enhancement Act of 1999,
S.2779, American Community Renewal and New Markets Empowerment Act,
H.R.4751, Puerto Rico-United States Bilateral Pact of Non-territorial Permanent Union and Guaranteed Citizenship Act,
H.R.815, American Community Renewal Act of 1999,

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
ABRAMOFF, JACK		No
BERGER, AMY		No
BRANDT, WERNER		No
CALVERT, JENNIFER		No
FUNDERBURK, DAVID	CONGRESSMAN	No
JARRELL, WILLIAM		No
MEEDS, LLOYD		No

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

Signature  Date 08/14/2009

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Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	MOSHER, SOL
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	NURNBERGER, RALPH
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	RING, KEVIN
18b	Covered Official Position	Ex. Dir. Hs Cons. Act. Team; Counsel US Sen. Jud. Com
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	SLOMOWITZ, ALAN
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	VALENTINE, STEVEN
18b	Covered Official Position	Leg. Dir & Gen. Counsel Sen. Bob Smith
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	RIZZO, SARA
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes