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August 8, 2003

Secretary of the Senate
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Senate ID# 41567-24, House ID# 32975002
Re: Community Service Society of New York
Our File No.: 05427.00001
Term Covered: January 1 – June 30, 2003

Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with 2 U.S.C. § 1601 et. seq., enclosed please find a Semi-Annual Lobbying Report for Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP with regards to the above referenced client, along with a copy of their corresponding retainer agreement.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions please call me in our Albany office at (518) 449-8893.

Very truly yours

WILSON, ELSER, MOSKOWITZ, EDELMAN & DICKER LLP



Richard Lauricella
Office Manager

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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported One Steuben Place			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Albany NY 12207 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Richard C. Lauricella	Telephone (518) 449-8893	E-mail (optional) lauricellar@wemed.com	5. Senate ID # 41567-24
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Community Service Society of New York			6. House ID # 32975-2

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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 Activities

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p align="center">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>0.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</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">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(3) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____

Date **August 8, 2003**

Printed Name and Title

Richard C. Lauricella, Administrative Officer

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Registrant Name n, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker Client Name Community Service Society of New York

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Budget Issues affecting Community Service Society of New York


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

United State Senate
United States House of Representatives

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Kenneth L. Shapiro	
Cynthia D. Shenker	
Lisa Marrello	
Kenneth Bruno	
Darrell Jeffers	
Theresa D'Alessandro	
Alexander Betke	

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

Signature  Date 8/8/03

Printed Name and Title _____

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June 4, 2002

Mr. Steven Krause
 Chief Operating Officer
 Community Service Society of New York
 105 East 22nd Street
 New York, NY 10010

Our File No.: 05427.00001
Federal Tax ID# 13-2679447

Dear Mr. Krause:

This will confirm our understanding concerning this firm serving as Legislative Counsel to Community Service Society of New York commencing on July 01, 2002 until June 30, 2003.

The fee for these services will be \$100,000.00 (One Hundred Thousand Dollars) per year plus disbursements. This fee shall be paid in twelve equal installments of \$8,333.33. The first payment is to be returned with the copies of the signed retainer. Expenses will be billed as incurred and will include the cost of photocopying, long-distance telephone calls, messenger service, travel, and other related disbursements.

New York State services included within the scope of this Retainer are set forth on page two. Representation on the city and federal levels include strategizing on specific projects selected by Community Service Society of New York, in consultation with WEMED.

New York City's lobbying law requires that we (1) register with the City Clerk and (2) file regular financial reports. The client is also required to file an annual financial report with the New York City Clerk on January 15th of each year. Furthermore, The New York State Lobbying Act (Chapter 2 of Laws of 1999) requires that we (1) register with the Lobbying Commission and (2) file regular financial reports. Additionally, as a client retaining a lobbyist, you will be required to file semi-annual reports with the New York Temporary State Commission on Lobbying each July 15th and January 15th. The Federal Regulatory Reform Act requires that we file regular financial reports on February 15th and August 15th of a Retainer Term. Clients do not have to file any reports on the federal level.

Please note that we must have a signed copy of your retainer before we can lobby on your behalf.

If the terms of this retainer are acceptable, please sign four (4) copies; keep one for your files and return three (3) to us, one of which will be filed with the New York Temporary State Commission on Lobbying and one with the Office of the New York City Clerk.

Very truly yours,
 WILSON, ELSER, MOSKOWITZ, EDELMAN & DICKER LLP

BY: 

Cynthia D. Shenker

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