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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name USAction			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1341 G St NW, 10th Floor			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Washington DC City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Helen Gonzales	Telephone (202) 624-1730	E-mail (optional) hgonzales@usaction.org	5. Senate ID # 83056-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 36396000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) **OR** Year End (July 1-Decer

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

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 type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ 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 type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>40,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exp accounting method. See instructions for description of opt:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitior</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(t Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Feb 17 2004

Signature Helen C. Gonzales Date 1.10.14

Printed Name and Title Helen C. Gonzales, Policy Director

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15. General issue area code HCER (one per page)
MMM

16. Specific lobbying issues

SI / HR 1 - Legislation relating to Medicare and prescription drug benefits for its recipients.

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

US House of Representatives and Senate

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

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Possible inappropriate access to HIPAA protected health information by financial institutions.

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

US Dept of Health + Human Services
US Senate
US House of Representatives

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Extension + improvement of the Transitional medical Assistance program for Medicaid recipients through the, reauthorization bill.
TANF

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US Senate

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15. General issue area code HCR/TOR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 1125 - "Fairness in Asbestos Injury Resolution Act of 2003." Would create a national asbestos trust fund and determine who gets compensated for exposure to asbestos and the amount of the comp. provided.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

U.S. Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S1751 - "Class Action Fairness Act" would decrease the number of class action lawsuits that could be filed in state courts versus federal courts.

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US Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues (\$2 billion)

Full funding for the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Afterschool program for FY 2005.

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

Executive Office of the President

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S1046 - "Preservation of localism, Program [and Competition in TV Broadcast Service Act of 2003," relating to TV/newspaper cross ownership.

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

US Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 14 - National Energy Policy Act of 2003.
Provisions relating to renewable fuel,
energy efficiency, use of ethanol and
removal of the chemical additive, MTBE,
from use in gasoline

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

US Senate and House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code Hom (one per page)
CIV

16. Specific lobbying issues

Possible changes to the Individual Taxpayer Identification Number Program which would impact hard-working and tax-paying immigrant families.

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

Internal Revenue Service / US Department of the Treas

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Full funding sought for the Help America Vote Act through the supplemental appropriations bill for funding of reconstruction in Iraq and Afghanistan

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