

LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP			
2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported 3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): D.C. 20007			
4. Contact Name Barry Drenfeld	Telephone (202) 424-7500	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 37460-277
7. Client Name ☐ Self Merrill Lynch & Co.	6. House ID # 31419004		

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 13	
12. Lobbying Firms INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☐ ⇨ \$ <u>None</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	13. Organizations EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☐ ⇨ \$ _____ 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. ☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only ☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code ☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature *Barry Drenfeld*

Printed Name and Title Barry Drenfeld, Partner