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LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1901 L Street, NW, Suite 200			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Marina L. Weiss		Telephone (202) 659-1800	E-mail (optional)
			5. Senate ID # 23758-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 30202000

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	
<p>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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>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>192,843</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(c) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature: *Marina Weiss*
 Printed Name and Title: Marina L. Weiss, Senior Vice President, Public Policy & Government Affairs

March of Dimes
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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 HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S. 2868, Children's Public Health Act of 2000, all provisions
- H.R. 3301, Children's Health Research and Prevention Amendments, all provisions
- H.R. 4365, Children's Health Act of 2000, all provisions
- H.R. 2538 / S. 1384, Folic Acid Promotion and Birth Defects Prevention Act, all provisions


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

House of Representatives
Senate
Department of Health and Human Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Marina L. Weiss		<input type="checkbox"/>
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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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H.R. 1843 / S. 1717, Mothers and Newborns Health Insurance Act, all provisions

H.R. 827// S. 1646, Improved Maternal and Children's Health Coverage Act, all provisions

H.R. 4707 / S. 1227, Legal Immigrant Children's Health Improvement Act.,all provisions

H.R. 4927 / S. 2923, FamilyCare Act of 2000, all provisions

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House of Representatives

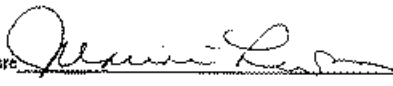
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H.R. 1102, Comprehensive Retirement Security and Pension Reform Act, all provisions

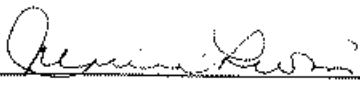
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15. General issue area code BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4577 / S. 2553, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education and Related Agencies Appropriation Bill, 2001, Title 2, all health provisions

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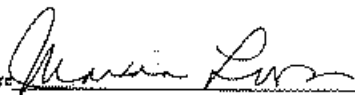
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