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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name Thomas L. Farmer			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2121 K Street, N.W. - Suite 701 Washington, DC 20037			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, DC State/Zip (or Country) 20037			
4. Contact Name Thomas L. Farmer	Telephone 202-463-7800	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 32816000
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Bankers' Association for Foreign Trade			6. House ID # 32816000

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 1999 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><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ <u>100,000</u>  <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><b>13. Organizations</b></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 type="checkbox"/> ⇔ \$ _____  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> 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 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(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature Thomas L. Farmer

Printed Name and Title Thomas L. Farmer

Registrant Name Thomas L. Farmer Client Name Bankers' Association for Foreign Trade

**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 BAN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

1. Export-Import Bank -- discussion of specific program changes with bank staff
2. State Department and Treasury Department -- discussions regarding India-Pakistan sanctions re. Likelihood of Presidential waiver
3. World Trade Organization (WTO) -- development of U.S. strategy for next round of global trade negotiations
4. Treasury and House Banking and Rules Committees -- efforts to delete Section 153 from HR 10 bill
5. Treasury and Federal Reserve -- discussions on global financial architecture regarding various international proposals to restructure global financial system
6. Treasury and Federal Reserve staff -- consultations regarding their meeting with Canadian and Mexican officials regarding implementation of NAFTA and discussion of U.S. - Canadian tax issues
7. Treasury -- consultations regarding the status of negotiations regarding service of outstanding Russian trade debt

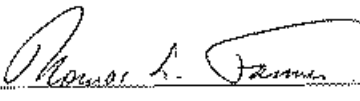
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None

House of Representatives  
Senate Treasury Department  
State Department  
Commerce Department  
U.S. Trade Representative  
Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Thomas L. Farmer		<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

Signature  Date 5<sup>th</sup> August 1999  
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