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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1735 NEW YORK AVE, NW SUITE 500 City WASHINGTON State/Zip (or Country) DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name ROSANNE PHILLIPS		Telephone 202-628-1700	E-mail (optional) _____
5. Senate ID # 32098-277		6. House ID # 31355014	
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self GRANT COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO.2		_____	

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	
12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$20,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ 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. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____ Date 02/14/2001

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Registrant Name: PRESTON GATES ELLIS & ROUVELAS MEEDS LLP

Client Name: GRANT COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO.2

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 RES (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R.1031, White Bluffs Protection Act, provisions affecting the Priest Rapids hydroelectric project.

H.R.1314/S.717, To amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate a portion of the Columbia River as a recreational river, and for other purposes, provisions affecting the Priest Rapids hydroelectric project.

H.R.1759, Hanford Reach National Salmon Preserve and Recreational Area Act, provisions affecting the Priest Rapids hydroelectric project.

H.R.4578, Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2001, dam breaching rider.

Executive Branch Actions:

Designation of Hanford Reach as a National Monument.

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

Department of Interior
House of Representatives
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
BRANDT, WERNER		No
PECKINPAUGH, TIM		No
RING, KEVIN	Ex. Dir. Hs Cons. Act Team; Counsel US Sen. Jud. Com	No
THOMAS, W. DAVID		No

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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.4971, Electric Power Industry Tax Modernization Act,
S.2967, Electric Power Industry Tax Modernization Act,
S.386, Bond Fairness and Protection Act of 1999,

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
<u>PECKINPAUGH, TIM</u>		<u>No</u>

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 UT1 (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

- H.R.1828, Comprehensive Electricity Competition Act, Northwest power provisions.
- H.R.2050, Electric Consumers' Power To Choose Act of 1999, Northwest power provisions.
- H.R.2335, Hydroelectric Licensing Process Improvement Act of 1999,
- H.R.2944, Electricity Competition and Reliability Act, Northwest power and transmission issues.
- S.1047, Comprehensive Electricity Competition Act, Northwest power provisions.
- S.2071, Electric Reliability 2000 Act, Northwest power and transmission issues.
- S.2098, Electric Power Market Competition and Reliability Act, Northwest power and transmission issues.
- S.740, Hydroelectric Licensing Process Improvement Act of 1999,

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
PECKINPAUGH, TIM		No
SEE, CHAD	Staff Asst. Sen. P. Murray/Sen. J. Rockefeller	Yes

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client
RING, KEVIN

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership % in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client, or affiliated organization

Signature  Date 02/14/2001

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