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Secretary of the Senate Received: Feb 09, 2006

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name: **CLARK & WEINSTOCK** 601 13TH STREET, NW SUITE 410 SOUTH, WASHINGTON, DC 20005 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): Country City: NEW YORK State/Zip(or Country): NY 10017 4. Contact Name: CHRISTINE SKLEPOVICH Telephone: 202-261-4000 E-mail (optional): chriss@cwdc.com Senate ID #: 9443-517 House ID #: 31698044 7. Client Name: Self **GUIDANT CORP** TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1 - June 30): OR Year End (July 1 - December 31): X 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 INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000: \$10,000 or more: X => Income (nearest \$20,000): 120,000.00 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). 13. Organizations EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000: \$10,000 or more: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000); 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

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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:

Medicare pricing on medical devices and oversight of medical device industry.

 House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: House of Representatives Senate OMB

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

Name: BONHAM, KENT
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: CARR, JULIE HERSHEY
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR, REP. JOE PITTS
Name: DYER, JAMES
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
STAFF DIRECTOR, HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
Name: KUTLER, ED
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: LEHMAN, DIRKSEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: STACH, DEIRDRE
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: STUART, SANDRA
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: WEBER, VIN
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: MED (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Medicare pricing on medical devices.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Department of Health & Human Services Executive Office of the President House of Representatives Office of Management and Budget Senate

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

Name: BONHAM, KENT

Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: CARR, JULIE HERSHEY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR, REP. JOE PITTS

Name: DYER, JAMES

Covered Official Position (if applicable): STAFF DIRECTOR, HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

Name: KUTLER, ED

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LEHMAN, DIRKSEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: STACH, DEIRDRE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: STUART, SANDRA Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: WEBER, VIN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitored Medicare pricing on medical devices

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Department of Housing & Urban Development Executive Office of the President House of Representatives Office of Management and Budget Senate

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

Name: BONHAM, KENT

Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: CARR, JULIE HERSHEY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR, REP. JOE PITTS

Name: DYER, JAMES

Covered Official Position (if applicable): STAFF DIRECTOR, HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

Name: KUTLER, ED

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LEHMAN, DIRKSEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: STACH, DEIRDRE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: STUART, SANDRA Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: WEBER, VIN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: None
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:
- 19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above. None

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 09, 2006
Printed Name and Title: Sandra K. Stuart

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Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

TAX

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

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

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Name: Name: Name: Name: Name: Name:

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 09, 2006

Printed Name and Title: SANDRA K, STUART -