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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <b>Hecht, Spencer &amp; Associates</b>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <b>499 South Capitol Street, SW, #507</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>D.C. 20003</b>			
4. Contact Name <b>Jackie West</b>	Telephone <b>(202) 554-2881</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>N/A</b>	5. Senate <b>179</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>Theragenics Corporation</b>			6. House <b>312</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-12)

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

### INCOME OR EXPENSES – Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organization
<p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0.00</u></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>175,000</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</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>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ Expenses (nearest \$ _____)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for descriptive</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6113 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

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Registrant Name Hecht, Spencer & Associates Client Name Theragenics Corporation

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1 – Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003- provision relating to Medicare for bracytherapy (became Public Law No. 108-173 on 12/8/03)

S.1 – Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003- provision relating to Medicare c bracytherapy

H.R. 1182 and S.1288 – bills to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to exclude bracythera from the prospective payment system for outpatient hospital services unde program-entire bill


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

U.S Senate  
U.S. House of Representatives

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>William H. Hecht</b>	
<b>Timothy P. Hecht</b>	
<b>Franklin C. Phifer, Jr.</b>	
<b>Rodney D. Grams</b>	
<b>Stuart Spencer</b>	
<b>Walter D. Huddleston</b>	

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



Signature  Date February 5, 2004

Printed Name and Title Timothy P. Hecht, Vice President

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