

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**FIERCE ISAKOWITZ & BLALOCK**

2. Address:

600 New Hampshire Ave., NW Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20037

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

4. Contact Name: MARK ISAKOWITZ

Telephone: 2023338667

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Senate ID #: 44812-146

House ID #: 31507004

7. Client Name: ☐ Self

**FEDERATION OF AMERICAN HOSPITALS**

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2007 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

**INCOME** relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000: ☐

\$10,000 or more: ☒ => Income (nearest \$20,000): 140,000.00

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

## 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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S.21 An original concurrent resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2008 and including the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2007 and 2009 through 2012. Title III: Reserve Funds(Sec. 301)Establishes specified Senate priorities and findings, including, but not limited to, making the enactment of legislation to reauthorize the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) a top priority for the remainder of FY2007, during the first session of the 110th Congress. H.R.99 Title II: Reserve Funds(creates reserve funds, subject to specified conditions, for legislation concerning: (1) the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP)

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

SENATE

White House Office

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

Name: BLALOCK, KIRK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHADWICK, KIRSTEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHAPPELL, MIKE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: COOK, SAMANTHA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FIERCE, DONALD L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HUFFARD, KATIE BRADEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HULL, KATE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ISAKOWITZ, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JARVIS, ALEX

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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: FIN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Deficit Reduction Act SCHIP H.R.3162: Children's Health and Medicare Protection Act of 2007. To amend titles XVIII, XIX, and XXI of the Social Security Act to extend and improve the children's health insurance program, to improve beneficiary protections under the Medicare, Medicaid, and the CHIP program, and for other purposes. S.2499: Medicare, Medicaid and SCHIP Extension Act of 2007. H.R.562: Medicare Long-Term Care Hospital Improvement Act of 2007. To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure and foster continued patient quality of care by establishing facility and patient criteria for long-term care hospitals and related improvements under the Medicare Program. H.R.1459: To improve Medicare beneficiary access by extending the 60 percent compliance threshold used to determine whether a hospital or unit of a hospital is an inpatient rehabilitation facility. H.R.3162: Children's Health and Medicare Protection Act of 2007. To amend titles XVIII, XIX, and XXI of the Social Security Act to extend and improve the children's health insurance program, to improve beneficiary protections under the Medicare, Medicaid, and the CHIP program, and for other purposes. S.338: Medicare Long-Term Care Hospital Improvement Act of 2007. A bill to amend the title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure and foster continued patient quality of care by establishing facility and patient criteria for long-term care hospitals and related improvements under the Medicare program. S.543: Preserving Patient Access to Inpatient Rehabilitation Hospitals Act of 2007. A bill to improve Medicare beneficiary access by extending the 60 percent compliance threshold used to determine whether a hospital or unit of a hospital is an inpatient rehabilitation facility under the Medicare program. GSE Reform Housing

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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Name: BLALOCK, KIRK  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: CHADWICK, KIRSTEN  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: CHAPPELL, MIKE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: COOK, SAMANTHA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: FIERCE, DONALD L.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: HUFFARD, KATIE BRADEN  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: HULL, KATE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: ISAKOWITZ, MARK  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: JARVIS, ALEIX  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S.558: Mental Health Parity Act of 2007. A bill to provide parity between health insurance coverage of mental health benefits and benefits for medical and surgical services. S.1693: Wired for Health Care Quality Act. A bill to enhance the adoption of nationwide interoperable health information technology system and to improve the quality and reduce the costs of health care in the United States. H.R.1424: Paul Wellstone Mental Health and Addiction Equity Act of 2007. To amend section 712 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, section 2705 of the Public Health Service Act, and section 9812 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require equity in the provision of mental health and substance-related disorder benefits under group health plans. Health Information Technology Health Insurance and Medical Liability Reform Bioterrorism Preparedness

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:  
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SENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: ISAKOWITZ, MARK  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: JARVIS, ALEX  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S.104/H.R. 800: Employee Free Choice Act of 2007

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

SENATE

White House Office

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

Name: BLALOCK, KIRK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHADWICK, KIRSTEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHAPPELL, MIKE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: COOK, SAMANTHA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FIERCE, DONALD L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HUFFARD, KATIE BRADEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HULL, KATE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ISAKOWITZ, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JARVIS, ALEX

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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:

Health Information Technology Medicare and Medicaid Health Insurance and medical Liability Reform Investor-owned specialty hospitals

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

SENATE

White House Office

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

Name: BLALOCK, KIRK

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Name: CHADWICK, KIRSTEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHAPPELL, MIKE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: COOK, SAMANTHA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FIERCE, DONALD L.

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Name: ISAKOWITZ, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JARVIS, ALEX

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: MARK ISAKOWITZ, PARTNER -

**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**

**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**

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -