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## LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an amended registration

I. Effective Date of Registration 05/12/00

2. House Identification Number 31699062 Senate Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRANT

3. Name of Registrant Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.  
Address 2000 K Street, NW, Fifth Floor  
City Washington State DC Zip 20006-1872  
4. Principal place of business (if different from line 1)  
City Houston State/Zip (or Country) TX 77002-2781  
5. Telephone number and contact name  
(202) 828-5800 Contact Gene E. Godley E-mail (optional) \_\_\_\_\_  
6. General description of registrant's business or activities  
Law Firm

CLIENT *A Lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should check the box labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.  Self*

7. Name of Client Address  
Pioneer Companies, Inc.  
Address 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 4300  
City Houston, State TX Zip 77002

8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_

9. General description of client's business or activities  
Chlor Alkali Supplier

### LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person listed in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first acting as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative branch position(s) in which the person served.

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Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. Client Name Pioneer Companies, Inc.

**LOBBYING ISSUES**

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select applicable codes listed in instructions and on reverse side of Form LD 1, page 1)

ENV

12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

**To ensure a competitive framework for small businesses competing with electric and gas utilities for the provision of energy related and other services.**

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in a semiannual period, and in whole or in major part plans, supervises, or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

No -> Go to Line 14.

Yes. Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) |
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**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

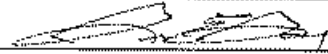
14. Is there a foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or in any organization identified on line 13; or
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the lobbying activity?

No -> Sign and date the registration.

Yes. Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and State or county) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities | Ownership percentage in client |
|------|---------|--|--|--------------------------------|
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Signature  Date 7-7-2000  
Printed Name and Title Gene E. Godley, Partner