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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization	Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker, LLP		
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address 1	677 Broadway		
City	Albany	State	NY
		Zip Code	12207
		Country	USA
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City		State	
		Zip Code	
		Country	
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Richard Lauricella	518-449-8893	lauricellar@wemed.com
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			5. Senate ID #
Albany Medical Center			41567-36
			6. House ID #
			32975-1

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 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	
<p align="center">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>20,000</u></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 align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of option</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Revenue Code</p>

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Printed Name and Title Richard Lauricella, Administrative Officer

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Registrant Name Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dick Client Name Albany Medical Center

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

15. General issue area code HCR - Health Issues (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue

Health care issues including funding, medicare, and medicaid

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

United States Senate
United States House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for th*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Kenneth L.	Shapiro		
Cynthia D.	Shenker		
Lisa	Marrello		
Darrell	Jeffers		
Theresa	Russo		
Alexander	Betke		

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

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Registrant Name Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dick Client Name Albany Medical Center

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

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

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

City

State

Zip Code

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

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Su
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2			4		

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

Find the code to select below.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address C/S/Z Address C/S/Z	City State Country City State

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

1	2	3
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FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address City	Address State/Province Country	Principal place of business (city and state or country) City State Country	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Own percentage client

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

1	3	5
2	4	6

Add a page for more up.

Printed Name and Title Richard Lauricella, Administrative Officer

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Mr. James Barba
President & CEO
Albany Medical Center
43 New Scotland Avenue, A-114
Albany, NY 12208

Our File No.: 04623.00004
Federal Tax ID #13-2679447

Dear Mr. Barba:

This will confirm our understanding concerning this firm serving as Legislative Counsel to Albany Medical Center on the Federal level commencing on January 1, 2005 until December 31, 2005. The representation will be on specific issues identified jointly by Albany Medical Center and Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP.


The fee for these services will be \$50,000.00 (Fifty Thousand Dollars) per year expenses. This fee shall be paid in four equal installments of \$12,500.00. The first payment be returned with the signed retainer. Expenses will be billed as incurred.

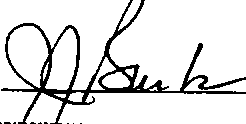
The Federal Regulation of Lobbying Act requires that WEMED file this retainer with statement of registration and we file financial reports on February 15, 2005 and August 15, 2005. Clients are **not** required to file reports on the Federal level.

Please note, we must have a signed retainer before we can lobby on your behalf. The terms of this retainer are acceptable, please sign where indicated and return original to us.

Very truly yours,

WILSON, ELSER, MOSKOWITZ, EDELMAN & DICKER LLP

BY: 
Cynthia D. Shenker

ACCEPTED BY: J. J. Barba Signature:  DATE: 12/20/04
Name: J. J. Barba President & CEO, Albany Medical Center

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August 12, 2005

Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
232 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Senate ID# 41567-36, House ID# 32975-001
Re: Albany Medical Center
Our File No.: 04623.00004
Term Covered: January 1 – June 30, 2005

Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with 2 U.S.C. § 1601 et. seq., enclosed please find a Semi-Annual Lobbying Report for Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker LLP with regards to the above referenced client, along with a copy of their corresponding retainer agreement.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions please call me in our Albany office at (518) 449-8893.

Very truly yours

WILSON, ELSER, MOSKOWITZ, EDELMAN & DICKER LLP



Richard Lauricella
Office Manager

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