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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

1. Effective Date of Registration 11/02/200

2. House Identification Number _____ Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Organization Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.
 Address 2000 K Street, NW Suite 500
 City Washington State DC Zip 20036 US
 4. Principal place of business (if different than line 3)
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 5. Telephone number and contact name Prefix Full Name
(202) 828-5841 Contact Mr. Michael L. Pate E-mail michael.pate@bracepatt.com
 6. General description of registrant's business or activities

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

7. Client name Minority Mineral-Right Owners in the Valles Caldera National Preserve
 Address 1401 Woodland Trail
 City Abilene State TX Zip 79605 Country _____
 8. Principal place of business (if different than line 7)
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____
 9. General description of client's business or activities
Ownership of land in Valles Caldera National Preserve

LOBBYISTS

Go to page 3 to add more

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 section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of filing as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

First	Name Last	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Scott H.	Segal		
Edward D.	Krenik		Associate Administrator for Congressional & Intergovernmental Relations, EPA
Milam D.	Mabry		Fmr Leg Asst Sen Kay Bailey Hutchison (9/03-1

Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.

Client Name Minority Mineral-Right Owners in the

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, pa

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Allowing minority mineral-right owners to sell their ownership to the government

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 criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

Name	Address	Principal place of Busine: (city and state or countr

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes ac 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 c lobbying activity?

No ⇒ Sign and date the registration.

Yes ⇒ Complete the rest of this section for each entit matching the criteria above, then sign and dat registration.

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	C P

Signature *Michael L. Pate* Date 1-14-06

Printed Name and Title Michael L. Pate, Partner

