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# LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant name

Organization **Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.**

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2. Address  Check if different than previously reported

2000 K STREET, NW SUITE 500

City WASHINGTON State DC Zip Code 20006-1872 Country U

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

City State Zip Code Country

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4a. Contact Name Prefix Full Name b. Telephone number c. E-mail 5. Senate ID #

Mr. Michael L. Pate (202) 828-5841 michael.pate@bracepatt.com

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7. Client Name  Self 6. House ID #

Valero Energy Corp. 31699C

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-December)

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 A

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this report were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>60,000</u>	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____
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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Form

Printed Name and Title Michael L. Pate, Partner

LD 801 (RS-403)

Registrant Name Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P.Client Name Valero Energy Corp.

**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 ENV - Environmental/Superfund (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Clean Air; RFG; Clean Air Reform Bill; MACT; OSHA Reform; Opt-Ins; Fuels issue

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

House  
Senate  
Environmental Protection Agency

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

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Ed	Bethune		
William T.	Brack		
Jim	Chapman		
Gene E.	Godley		
Lisa M.	Jaeger		Acting Gen. Counsel, EPA (9/2003 - 3/2004)
			Deputy General Counsel (2001 - 2003)
Edward	Krenik		Assoc. Admin., Congressional & Intergovernmental Relations, Environmental Protection Agency
Scott H.	Segal		

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







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15. General issue area code ENG - Energy/Nuclear (one per page)

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

National Sales tax Corporate Welfare Superfund Reform issues
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