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1. Registrant Name <b>Gryphon International</b>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <b>516 First Street, S.E., Washington, DC 20003</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)  City: _____ State/zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <b>William L. Hoffman</b>	Telephone <b>(202) 546-5639</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>whoffman@worldnet.att.net</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>17088-12</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>American University of Beirut</b>			6. House ID # <b>32946000</b>

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

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 Lobby

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

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p><b>INCOME</b> 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>80,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</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><b>EXPENSES</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate reporting accounting method. See instructions for description of method.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 603 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature William L. Hoffman Date August 15, 2004  
Printed Name and Title William L. Hoffman

Registrant Name Gryphon International Client Name American University of Beirut

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

15. General issue area code BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4818 and unnumbered Senate bill, Foreign Operations Appropriations, FY 2005, provisions related to ASHA, Lebanon, and Middle East Partnership Initiative

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

- a. U.S. House of Representatives
- b. U.S. Senate
- c. Department of State
- d. Agency for International Development

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
William L. Hoffman	

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 FOR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 2144, Foreign Affairs Authorization Act, FY 2005, provisions relating to U.S. educational and cultural exchange programs in the Islamic world and restrictions on economic support funds for Lebanon

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

- a. U.S. Senate
- b. U.S. House of Representatives
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15. General issue area code EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

a. Reauthorization of the Higher Education Act (unnumbered bill), provisions of Title VI  
b. Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriations, FY 2005, provisions related to international education

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

U.S. Senate

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15. General issue area code SCI (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Eligibility of the American University of Beirut to apply for National Science Foundation grants

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

a. National Science Foundation  
b. U.S. Senate

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*William L. Hoffman*

Date

8/15/2004

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