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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Health Policy Alternatives, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 400 North Capitol St. NW, Suite 799			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20001			
4. Contact Name Richard Lauderbaugh	Telephone 202-737-3390	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID 17875
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self American Hospital Association			6. House ID # 312620

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 Lobbyi

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13**12. Lobbying Firms**

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more ⇒ \$ 80,000
Income (nearest \$20,000)

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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more ⇒ \$ _____
Expenses (nearest

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA defini

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title

Registrant Name Health Policy Alternatives Client Name American Hospital Associatic

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Medicare payment policy changes; specialty hospital issue

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Richard A. Lauderbaugh	

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

Signature *Richard A. Lauderbaugh* Date 2/10/05

