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## LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration  1. Effective Date of Registration 4/1/2004  
2. House Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_ Senate Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name Ricchetti Inc.  
Address 1001 G Street NW Suite 700 East  
City Washington State DC Zip 20001  
4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)  
City same State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_  
5. Telephone number and contact name  
(202) 879-9367 Contact James Heimbach E-mail (optional) \_\_\_\_\_  
6. General description of registrant's business or activities  
General business and political consulting

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

7. Client name Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)  
Address 1330 Connecticut Avenue Suite 300  
City Washington State DC Zip 20036  
8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)  
City same State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_  
9. General description of client's business or activities  
Represents companies that produce sound recordings

### LOBBYISTS

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

| Name            | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|-----------------|---|
| Steve Ricchetti |   |
| James Heimbach  |   |
| Jeff Ricchetti  |   |

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Registrant Name Ricchetti Inc. Client Name Recording Industry Association of America (R

**LOBBYING ISSUES**

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

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Issues pertaining to the recording industry including issues relating to technology and copyright law

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant 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 Business (city and state or country) |
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**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 activities of 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 of the lobbying activity?

No ⇨ Sign and date the registration.  Yes ⇩ Complete the rest of this section for each matching the criteria above, then sign and registration.

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities |
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*[Handwritten Signature]*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title James Heimbach Vice President

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