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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name E. Del Smith & Co. Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1130 Connecticut Avenue N.W. #650			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Sandra Ptak	Telephone 202-822-8300	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 35640-428
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Reusable Pallet and Container Coalition			6. House ID # 32884042

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year **2000** Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report
10. Check if this is a Termination Report >> Termination Date **10/31/2000** 11. No Lobbying Activity

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 reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$16,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Date **10/31/2000**

Printed Name and Title **E. Del Smith - President, and CEO**

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Registrant Name: E. Del Smith & Co. Inc.

Client Name: Reusable Pallet and Container Coalition

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

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Proposed environmental legislation

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)	New
<u>Smith, E. Del</u>		<u>No</u>

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

Signature _____ Date 10/31/2000

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
Proposed tax incentavative legislation

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)	New
<u>Smith, E. Del</u>		<u>No</u>

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