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Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
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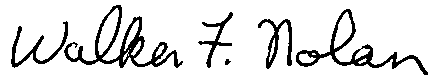
Dear Sir/Madam:

I am in receipt of the enclosed letters notifying me that you have not received my Lobbying Reports for 2004 Mid-year. To the best of my recollection I sent it USPS. Please find replacement copies of my Lobbying Reports for 2004 Mid-year.

Owing to having moved to a new firm, I did not receive your earlier notice. Please let me know if there is anything else you need.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Walker F. Nolan

Enclosures

Clerk of the House of Representatives Legislative Resource Center B-106 Cannon Building Washington, DC 20515	Secretary of the Senate Office of Public Records 232 Hart Building Washington, DC 20510
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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Prefix	Mr.	First	Walker
		Last	Nolan
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
818 Connecticut Avenue NW		Suite 100	
City	Washington, DC 20006	State	DC
		Zip Code	20006
		Country	USA
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City		State	
		Zip Code	
		Country	
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Walker Nolan	202-728-1010	wnolan@obblaw.com
			5. Senate ID #
			58955-75
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID #
CENTERPOINT ENERGY			35295002

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 3)

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 Activi

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 was:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>40,000</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 expense accounting method. See instructions for description of option
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Revenue Code

Walker F. Nolan March 15, 2005

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Printed Name and Title Walker F. Nolan, Attorney

Registrant Name Walker Nolan Client Name CENTERPOINT ENERGY

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant was 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 UTI - Utilities (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

Electric Restructuring

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

Senate
House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for this issue area*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Walker	Nolan		

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

Printed Name and Title Walker F. Nolan, Attorney *Walker Nolan March 15, 2005* *Add a page for a different date*

Registrant Name Walker Nolan

Client Name EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Country _____

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Country _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

	First Name	Last Name	Suffix		First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1				3			
2				4			

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues that no longer pertain

Find the code to select below

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address _____ C/S/Z _____	City _____ State _____ Country _____
	Address _____ C/S/Z _____	City _____ State _____

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address City	Address State/Province Country	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentag client
			City _____ State _____ Country _____		

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client affiliated organization

1 _____ 3 _____ 5 _____
2 _____ 4 _____ 6 _____

Walker F Nolan

March 15, 2005

Add a page for more update

Printed Name and Title Walker F. Nolan, Attorney

