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1. Registrant Name Education Finance Council			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1155 15th Street, NW, Suite 801, Washington, DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country): _____			
4. Contact Name Susan Cloud	Telephone 202-466-8621	E-mail (optional) susanc@efc.org	5. Senate ID # 13153-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 30039000		

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: _____ 11. No Lobbying Activity

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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> => \$ _____ 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> => \$ <u>20,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <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 the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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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 EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Issues outstanding as a result of passage of the Higher Education Act Amendments of 1998. Specifically issues relating to Student Financial Assistance.

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Education

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
William Hansen		<input type="checkbox"/>
Harrison Wadsworth		<input type="checkbox"/>
Conway Casillas		<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Brenner		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Susan Cloud Date 8/10/00
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15. General issue area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4923, The Community Renewal and New Markets Act. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the amount of private activity bonds which may be issued in each state, and to index such amounts for inflation.

S. 2779. Same description as above.

* The issue of increasing the availability of the tax deduction for student loan interest payments as well as improving the way interest is reported to taxpayers by payees.

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