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LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant Name Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 901 15th Street, N.W. Suite 700 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name John H. Zentay		Telephone (202) 371-6000	E-mail (optional) jhzentay@verner.com
			5. Senate ID # 39974-1608
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self VISA U.S.A., Inc.			6. House ID # 30883158

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2002 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 Lobb

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$200,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>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).</p>	<p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA defini</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____

Date 8/5/2002

Registrant Name: Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand

Client Name: VISA U.S.A., Inc.

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 FIN (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

Department of Justice Civil Action No. 98-civ. 7076.

Financial privacy proposals.

Implementation of Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act.

Efforts to protect the nation's critical infrastructure.

Implementation of the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act.

Online security and identity theft proposals.

Antitrust issues in the credit card industry.

Anti-terrorism proposals.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

House of Representatives

Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Bernhard, Berl	
Bernstein, Matthew C.	
Eskin, Andrew D.	
Grossman, Marla P.	
Hand, Lloyd N.	
Hyland, James E.	Legislative Director, Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison
McPherson, Harry C.	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature _____ Date 8/5/2002

Registrant Name: **Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand**Client Name: **VISA U.S.A., Inc.**

Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Merrigan, John A.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Minor, William H.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Phillips, Steven R.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**H.R.1110, Student Athlete Protection Act,
H.R.3215, Combatting Illegal Gambling Reform and Modernization Act,
H.R.556, Unlawful Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act,
S.718, Amateur Sports Integrity Act,**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted
**House of Representatives
Senate**

Check if None

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Hand, Lloyd N.	
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Registrant Name: Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & HandClient Name: VISA U.S.A., Inc.**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

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

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

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

LOBBYIST UPDATE23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client**Mendelsohn, Martin****Hochberg, Philip R.****Jacobsohn, David B.****Martin, Jenifer****ISSUE UPDATE**24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

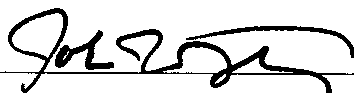
26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client**FOREIGN ENTITIES**

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

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

Signature _____


Date 8/5/2002

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Client Name: VISA U.S.A., Inc.

Item	Description	Data
23	Lobbyist Update	Rogers, Joyce A.

