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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Wine & Spirits Wholesalers of America			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 805 15th St., NW Suite 430			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Michael W. Johnson	(202) 371-9792	mike.johnson@swwa.org	416
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 316

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-Dec


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

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <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 type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ 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>13. Organizations</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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>400,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6115 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature  _____
Printed Name and Title Michael W. Johnson, VP, Government Affairs _____

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Registrant Name Wine & Spirits Wholesalers of America Client Name _____

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the r 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 BEV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 791/S.1506 - "The Domestic Spirits Tax Equity Act." To establish a tax credit for wholesalers of domestic spirits equal to the costs incurred in financing the Federal Excise Tax.

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

U.S. Senate
U.S. House of Representatives
Department of Treasury, Bureau of Tax and Trade
Department of Health and Human Services, Food and Drug Administration

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Juanita D. Duggan	
Michael W. Johnson	
Nicole E. deSibour	
Jim Rowland	

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

Signature 

Date 2/13/04

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date 7-7-1

Printed Name and Title Michael W. Johnson, VP Government Affairs

Registrant Name Wine & Spirits Wholesalers of America Client Name _____

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 UPDATE

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

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 Bu (city and state or co

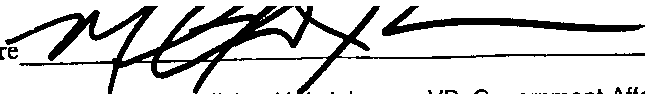
26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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 registri affiliated organization

Signature  Date 2/13/04

Printed Name and Title Michael W. Johnson, VP, Government Affairs

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LOBBYING DEDUCTIBILITY July through December 2003
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Salary Basis

Juanita Duggan - 40%

Michael Johnson - 80%

Karen Gravois - 5%

Nicole DeSibour - 25%

James Rowland - 80%

Total Salaries:	\$	212,190
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Cost Basis

Overhead Fixed Costs (Rent/Phone)	\$	19,879
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Benefits	\$	16,439
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Meals & Entertainment	\$	32,523
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Coalitions	\$	-
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Consultants	\$	120,280
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Grassroots mailings	\$	-
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(printing, postage, & computer)

Other (hearings, analysis, etc.)	\$	-
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Total Lobbying Expenses thru 12/31/03:	\$	401,311
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To Nearest 20,000	\$	400,000
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