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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Association of Fundraising Professionals			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1101 King Street # 700			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Alexandria VA 22314 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Michael Nilsen	Telephone (703) 370-1036	E-mail (optional) mnilsen@afpnet.org	5. Senate ID # 28561-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 33741000

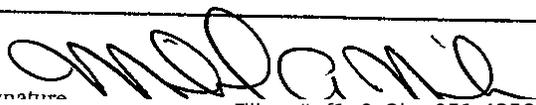
**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-Decen

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 align="center"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></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 align="center"><b>13. Organizations</b></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>40,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of option</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature 

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 02/02/03

Printed Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_ Michael Nilsen, Director, Public Affairs

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Registrant Name Association of Fundraising Professionals Client Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 476 -- The Charity Aid, Recovery and Empowerment Act -- To provide incentives for charitable contributions by individuals and businesses, to improve the public disclosure of activities of exempt organizations, and to enhance the ability of low-income Americans to gain financial security by building assets, and for other purposes.  
H. R. 7 -- the Charitable Giving Act -- To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for charitable contributions by individuals and businesses, and for other purposes.

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)
Walter Sczudlo	
Michael Nilsen	
Paulette Maehara	

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

Signature  Date 02/02/03

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16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 877 -- the 'Controlling the Assault of Non-Solicited Pornography and Marketing Act of 2003', or the 'CAN-SPAM Act of 2003' -- prohibition on sending out unsolicited emails to members or individuals of a charity or association even if there is already a pre-existing relationship.  
Federal Communications Commission Do Not Fax List -- rule will prohibit any organization from sending any advertising-related fax without an individual's express written permission. Rule is unclear as to whether charitable communications are affected.

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

Federal Communications Commission

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Eligibility Requirements for Certain Nonprofit Standard Mail Matter, 68 Fed. Reg. 23937 (May 6, 2003), in which the Postal Service proposes to exempt cooperative fundraising mailings from 39 U.S.C. § 3626(j)(1)(D)(ii), which renders cooperative mailings ineligible for entry at standard nonprofit rates. Impact this exemption would have on level of fraudulent fundraising in the country.

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

United States Postal Service  
House of Representatives  
Senate

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