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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration

1. Effective Date of Registration Jan 11,

2. House Identification Number _____

Senate Identification Number 1182

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant Name: ALSTON & BIRD LLP
Address: 950 F ST NW
City: WASHINGTON State: DC Zip: 20004

4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3):
City: ATLANTA State/Zip(or Country): GA 30309

5. Telephone number and contact name:
202756-3342 Contact: JONATHAN M. WINER
E-mail(optional): jonathan.winer@alston.com

6. General description of registrant's business or activities:
law firm

CLIENT

A Lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should check the labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10.

Self

7. Client name: AMERICAN PUBLIC GAS ASSN
Address: 201 MASSACHUSETTS AVE NE, SUITE C-4
City: WASHINGTON State: DC Zip: 20002

8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7):

9. General description of client's business or activities:
utility trade association

LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person listed in section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first acting as lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

Name: ARCHITZEL, PAUL
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, page 1:

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated):

public policy and legislation relating to possible reporting requirements for natural gas contracts

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in a semi-annual period and 13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than \$10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in semi-annual period in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

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Registrant Name: ALSTON & BIRD LLP Client Name: AMERICAN PUBLIC GAS ASSN

No, then go to line 14.

Yes, then complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

- a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances or subsidizes activities of the client or organization identified on line 13; **OR**
- c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the lobbying activity?

No, then sign and date the registration.

Yes, then complete the rest of this section for each entity matching the criteria above, then sign and date the registration.

Signature: ON FILE Date: Jan 11, 2007

Printed Name and Title: JONATHAN M. WINER - PARTNER

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