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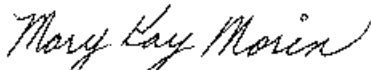
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RE: MDS America, Inc.

Attached is a registration for MDS America, Inc. Unfortunately, this filing could not be done electronically due to problems entering information in the affiliated organizations and foreign entities sections.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Mary Kay Morin
Federal Compliance Administrator

Enclosures

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LOBBYING REGISTRATION Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

1. Effective Date of Registration

(mm/dd/yy): 5/15/01

Senate Identification Number: 629

2. House Identification Number:

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant Name: BEKSH & ASSOCIATES

Address: 1801 K ST NW STE 901-L

City: WASHINGTON

State: DC Zip: 20006

Country: 0001 USA

4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)

City: _____

State: DC Zip: _____

Country: 0001 USA

5. Telephone number and contact name:

402 530-0500 Contact: Charlie Blake E-mail: _____

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

Lobbying firm

CLIENT A Lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations

employing in-house lobbyists should check the box labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10. ☐ Self

7. Client Name: MDS America, Inc.

Address: 2740 Martin Downs Blvd. #229City: Palm City State: FL Zip: 34990Country: 0001 USA

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

State/Country: FL Zip: 34994Country: 0001 USACity: Stuart

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

Telecommunications equipment and systems provider.
LOBBYISTS

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)

☐ Click here if you'll need to add more lobbyists.

To include previously reported lobbyists, simply click on the box next to the name...	
☐ ARNOLD, MARY	☐ BAILEY, STEPHEN
☒ BLACK, CHARLES	☐ BODE, HOLLY
☐ COMFORT, MICHAEL	☐ COYTER, LISA
☐ DASLER, MARK	☐ FENG, DAVID
☐ GORSKI, WALTER	☐ HEALEY, JAMES C.
☐ KANE, STACEY	☐ KELLY, PETER
☐ BARBOUR, REBECCA	☐ BERK, JESSICA
☐ BURNS, ANNE DAVIS	☒ CHICCHITTO, KAREN
☐ DARK, LINDA P.	☐ DASLER, MARK CHIEF COUNSEL, SEN JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
☒ PRESS, KATHERINE	☐ GATES, RICHARD
☐ MILDENBRAND, WILLIAM	☐ JOHNSON, LEE
☐ KILGORE, HEATHER	☐ KLEPNER, JERRY

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☐ KOGOVSEK, RAY	☐ KONICOFF, CRAIG	☐ KRAWITZ, DAVID	☐ KYTE, JOHN
☐ LATARTARA, PETER	☐ LETENDRE, ANDRE	☐ LEVINSON, RIVA	☐ MARBURG, RUSH
☐ MERLIN, CHARLES L.	☐ NONE	☐ PANUZZO, NICK	☐ PASTRICK, R. SCOTT
☐ PECKHAM, GARDNER	☐ PECKHAM, GARDNER POLICY ADVISOR, OFC OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE	☐ POWELL, PAUL	☐ ROBERTSON, MARK
☐ ROWLAND, J. ROY	☐ SABLE-WEBER, RONNA	☐ SCRUGGS, JOHN F.	☐ SZCUDLO, REBECCA
☒ SHEA, DENNIS	☐ SLONE, PETER B.	☐ STACEY, KANE	☐ TEMPLETON, PATRICK
☐ TOMPKINS, J. WARREN	☐ WEBER, RONNA SABLE	☐ WILHITE, DEBBIE	

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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Click here if you'll need to add more codes.

12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

Terrestrial delivery of broadband
Wireless services.

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 semiannual period and in whole or in major part plans, supervises or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

☒ No -> Go to line 14.

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

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)
	Zip: Country:	0001 USA Country:
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	Zip: Country:	0001 USA Country:
	Zip: Country:	0001 USA Country:
☒ Click here if you'll need to add additional foreign affiliated organizations.		

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 any 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 -> Sign and date the registration.

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

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contributions for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client
Sheikha Al- Khalifa Al-Sabah	7 Wagon St. [] [] Zip: []	[] Country: Kuwait 0001 USA	0	475%
Jean-Claude Ducasse	[] [] Zip: []	[] Country: France 0001 USA	0	338%
MD S International	[] [] Zip: []	[] Country: France 0001 USA	0	10%

Information provided is confidential unless otherwise noted

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Date: 06/04/01

Title: Federal Compliance Administrator

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