

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

2. Address:

1331 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW SUITE 550 SOUTH, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

Country: City: NATICK State/Zip(or Country): MA 01760-1537

4. Contact Name: STEVEN N. LA PIERRE

Telephone: 202-637-8024

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Senate ID #: 66716-12

House ID #: 35567000

7. Client Name: ☒ Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1 - June 30): ☒ **OR** Year End (July 1 - December 31): ☐

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 Activity: ☐

INCOME OR EXPENSES

Complete Either Line 12 **OR** Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000: ☐

\$10,000 or more: ☐ => Income (nearest \$20,000): _____

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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000: ☐

\$10,000 or more: ☒ => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 780,000.00

14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

- ☒ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
☐ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code
☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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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: CPT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

-H.R. 2795 Patent Reform Act of 2005 -Patent Trade Office Rule

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

House, Senate, US Patent & Trade Office

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

US SENATE

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

Name: BIEBUYCK, BEATRICE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LAPIERRE, STEVE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: RICHNER, RANDEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

-S. 390 Screening Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms Very Effectively (SAAAVE) Act of 2005 -H.R. 827 Screening Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms Very Effectively (SAAAVE) Act of 2005 -S. 1356 Medicare Value Purchasing Act of 2005 -S. 1002 Hospital Fair Competition Act of 2005 -S. 470 Fair Access to Clinical Trials Act of 2005 -H.R. 3196 Fair Access to Clinical Trials Act of 2005 -S. 1932 Deficit Reduction Act -H.R. 5 Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare (HEALTH) Act of 2005 -H.R. 4042 Ambulatory Surgical Center Medicare Payment Modernization Act of 2005 -S. 1884 Ambulatory Surgical Center Medicare Payment Modernization Act of 2005

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

House, Senate, HHS, OMB, FDA, CMS
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: BIEBUYCK, BEA

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: FORD, ERIN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: KIMBELL (OUTSIDE), JEFF

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LAPIERRE, STEVE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MANTHEI (OUTSIDE), JOHN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MEANS (OUTSIDE), KATHY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: REID, SCOTT

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: RICHNER, RANDEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: WALTER (OUTSIDE), SARAH

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

-Regulatory & Reimbursement Issues for Medical Devices in Medicare -Implementation of Coverage, Coding and Reimbursement under the 2003 Medicare Prescription Drug Improvement and Modernization Act -H.R. 3617 Medicare Value-Based Purchasing for Physicians' Services Act of 2005 -S. 1356 Medicare Value Purchasing Act of 2005 -S. 2022 Remote Monitoring Access Act of 2005

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

House, Senate, HHS, CMS, GAO, OMB

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

US SENATE

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

Name: FORD, ERIN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: KIMBELL (OUTSIDE), JEFF

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LAPIERRE, STEVE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MEANS (OUTSIDE), KATHY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: REID, SCOTT

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: RICHNER, RANDEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: WALTER (OUTSIDE), SARAH

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

- H.R. 1736 Investment in America Act 2005 - S. 627 R&D Tax Credit Extension Provisions - H.R. 747 National Health Information Incentive Act - H.R. 5115 U.S. Healthcare Technologies Competitiveness Act of 2006

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

House, Senate, Treasury
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: KIMBELL (OUTSIDE), JEFF
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: LAPIERRE, STEVE
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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15. General issue area code: TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

-Market access, regulatory approvals, and reimbursement for medical devices in Japan, EU, China, Korea, Brazil -H.R. 3283 United States Trade Rights Enforcement Act -S.CON.RES.67 A concurrent resolution urging Japan to honor its commitments under the 1986 Market-Oriented Sector-Selective (MOSS) Agreement on Medical Equipment and Pharmaceuticals -H.CON.RES.311 Urging Japan to honor its commitments under the 1986 MOSS Agreement

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

House, Senate, Dept of Commerce, U.S. Trade Representatives Office, State Dept., Treasury Dept., International Trade Commission
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: BARRY, PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LAPIERRE, STEVE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 10, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Steven N. La Pierre, Director, Legislative Affairs -

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

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

Country: USA

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Name: Ford, Erin

Name: Richner, Randel

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

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

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 10, 2006

Printed Name and Title: STEVEN N. LA PIERRE, DIRECTOR, LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS -