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1. Registrant Name Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker, LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 2120 L Street, NW Suite 700 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20037			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Geoffrey D. Strommer	Telephone 503-242-1745	E-mail (optional) gstrommer@hswor.com	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Council of Athabascan Tribal Governments			6. House ID #

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-De

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 Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$20,000.00</u> 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>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 type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$2</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA defini</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name and Title **Geoffrey D. Strommer - Partner** _____ Page _____

Registrant Name: Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker, LLP

Client Name: Council of Athabascan Tribal Governments

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 IND (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

PL 106-260, Tribal Self-Governance Amendments of 1999 , Section 505(b)

PL 94-437, Indian Health Care Improvement Act, Section 813

S. 1715, Department of the Interior Tribal Self-Governance Act, Title IV amendments

FY 2004 IHS AFA finalization

FY 2005 IHS AFA negotiation

Fish & Wildlife Service AFA negotiation

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

Check if None

Department of Health & Human Services

Department of the Interior

House of Representatives

Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Dean, S. Bobo	
Funk, Karen J.	
Goodman, Edmund	
Osborne, Steve	
Osceola-Branch, Marie	
Roels, Starla K.	
Schmidt, Marsha K.	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature

Michael Stramm

Date 8/13/2004

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title Geoffrey D. Strommer - Partner

Registrant Name: **Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Walker, LLP**Client Name: **Council of Athabascan Tribal Governments**

Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Stearns, Chris
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Strommer, Geoffrey D.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No

