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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Steptoe & Johnson LLP			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1330 Connecticut Avenue, NW			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Richard Verma	Telephone 202/429-3000	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 36710-327
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Williamsport Wire Rope Works, Inc.			6. House ID # 31033-029

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 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	
<p style="text-align: center;">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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 style="text-align: center;">13. Organizations</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"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Richard R. Verma

Printed Name and Title Richard R. Verma Partner, Steptoe & Johnson LLP

Registrant Name Steptoe & Johnson LLP Client Name Williamsport Wire Works, Inc.

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 MAN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Providing advice & consultation on the Emergency Steel Loan Guarantee Program.

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

U.S. Senate (Sen. Byrd)
U.S. House of Representatives (Rep. Murtha)

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Richard R. Verma		<input type="checkbox"/>
John E. Nolan		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Richard R. Verma Date August 11, 00
Printed Name and Title Richard R. Verma, Partner, Steptoe & Johnson LLP