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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <b>Blank Rome LLP</b>			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address <b>600 New Hampshire Avenue, NW</b> <b>11th Floor</b> City <b>Washington</b> State/Zip (or Country) <b>DC 20037</b>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <b>Rebecca South</b>	Telephone <b>(202)772-5803</b>	E-mail (optional) <b>south@blankrome.com</b>	5. Senate ID # <b>89133-1813</b>
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <b>DaimlerChrysler Corporation</b>			6. House ID # <b>31577040</b>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☐ OR Year End (July 1-Dec

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 Lobbyi

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<b>INCOME</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:  Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ <div style="text-align: right;">Income (nearest \$20,000)</div> 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).	<b>EXPENSES</b> relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:  Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>  \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ <div style="text-align: right;">Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</div> <b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definiti <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033 the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162( Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 2/11/2004

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Registrant Name: **Blank Rome LLP**

Client Name: **DaimlerChrysler Corporation**

**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 **TRA** (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

**H.R.2658/**

**S.1382, FY 2004 DOD Appropriations , issues related to "Buy American" standard**

**HR 2443, Coast Guard Bill, House T & I Committee-diesel engines, requirement of US built**

**HR 2673, Omnibus Appropriations, Diesel Engine procurement in Appropriations bills, Coast Guard acquist**

**PL 108-7, FY 2003 Consolidated Appropriations Resoution, funding for and issues related to the acquisition engines for vessels and application of the Buy American Act.**

**Funding for and issues related to the acquisition of diesel engines for vessels and application of the Buy Amer**

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

☐ Check if None

**Coast Guard**

**House of Representatives**

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<b>Bobek, Kelly</b>	
<b>Broomfield, Emma</b>	
<b>Drewry, James S.</b>	<b>Democratic General Counsel, Senate Commerce Con</b>
<b>Ellis II, James B.</b>	
<b>Esber, Brett M.</b>	
<b>Smith III, Duncan C.</b>	<b>Chief Counsel, Merchant Marine and Fisheries Con</b>
<b>South, Rebecca</b>	

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

☒ Check if None

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Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Southwick, Jennifer M.
18b	Covered Official Position	Staff Asst., Transportation & Infrastructure Comm.
18c	New Lobbyist	No
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18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes



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**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

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

City State/Zip (or Country)

22. New general description of client's business or activities

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client  
**Southwick, Jennifer M.**

**ISSUE UPDATE**

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)


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

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant or affiliated organization

Signature  Date **2/11/2004**

Printed Name and Title **Duncan C. Smith III - Partner** Pa