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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Mehlman & Vogel, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1341 G Street, NW Suite 1100, Washington DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Alex Vogel	Telephone (202) 585-0271	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Red Hat Software			6. House ID # 36893003

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

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

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>20,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (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).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exp accounting method. See instructions for description of op
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitio
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Alex Vogel

Date

8/5/04

Printed Name and Title

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code CPT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Alex N. Vogel	Chief Counsel, Sen. Majority Leader
Bruce Mehlman	Asst Sec. of Commerce for Tech Policy

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

Signature *Alex Vogel* Date 8/5/04

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