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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Piper Rudnick LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1200 19th Street, N.W. City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name John H. Zentay	Telephone (202) 861-6449	E-mail (optional) john.zentay@piperrudnick.com	5. Senate ID # 76855-1790
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Equitas Limited			6. House ID # 32113097

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 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	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>\$620,000.00</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 expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) 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 INS (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R.1114 , Asbestos Compensation Act of 2003,

H.R.1586 , Asbestos Compensation Fairness Act of 2003,

H.R.1737 , Asbestos Victims' Compensation Act of 2003,

S.1125 , FAIR Act of 2003,

S.2290, FAIR Act of 2004,

S.413 , Asbestos Claims Criteria and Compensation Act of 2003,

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

 Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Arney, Richard K.	U. S. Congressman	Yes
Baker III, Charles A.		No
Barnhard, Berl		No
Bernstein, Matthew C.		No
Blanchard, James J.		No
Boggs, Virginia R.		No
Hanley, June A.		No

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	Jones, Lisa L.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Levy, Roger
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Merrigan, John A.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Minor, William H.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Phillips, Steven R.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Pickup, James A.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
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18b	Covered Official Position	
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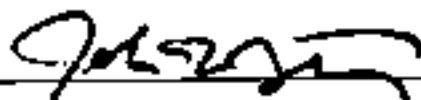
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Bernhard, Bert		No
Bernstein, Matthew C.		No
Hanley, June A.		No
Jones, Lisa L.		No
Levy, Roger		No

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