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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Organization/Lobbying Firm Self Employed Individual

American Continental Group

2. Address Check if different than previously reported

Address1 **900 19th Street, NW** Address2 **Suite 800**
City **Washington** State **DC** Zip Code **20006** - Country **USA**

3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ - Country _____

4a. Contact Name

BETH ANNE COLE

b. Telephone Number

International Number

(202) 327-8100

c. E-mail

cole@acgreg.com

5. Senate ID#

2057-2233

7. Client Name Self Check if client is a state or local government or instrumentality

WEST PENN ALLEGHENY HEALTH SYSTEM

6. House ID#

316480149

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year **2010** Q1 (1/1 - 3/31) Q2 (4/1 - 6/30) Q3 (7/1-9/30) Q4 (10/1 - 12/31)

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 Issue Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - YOU MUST complete either Line 12 or Line 13

12. Lobbying

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$5,000

\$5,000 or more \$ **30,000.00**

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$10,000, 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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$5,000

\$5,000 or more \$ _____

14. REPORTING Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
- Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code
- Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____ Filed Electronically

Date **04/07/2010**

Printed Name and Title **David J. Urban - Managing Director**

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. Add additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Healthcare Appropriations for Health Systems

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

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. SENATE, Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

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

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
David	Urban		Chief of Staff, Senator Arlen Specter	<input type="checkbox"/>
James	Smith		Chief of Staff, Rep. Peter Deutsch	<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

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 General reimbursement issues as relates to Wage Index
 Health issues in Stimulus Bill
 Liver Transplant Certification

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