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LOBBYING REGISTRATION

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check if this is an Amended Registration ☐ 1. Effective Date of Registration **5/18/2005**

2. House Identification Number _____ Senate Identification Number _____

REGISTRANT

3. Registrant Name **Gardner, Carton & Douglas**

Address **1301 K Street, N.W.** **Suite 900, East Tower**

City **Washington** State **DC** Zip **20005**

4. Principal place of business (if different from line 3)

City **Chicago** State/Zip (or Country) **IL 60610**

5. Telephone number and contact name Contact E-Mail (optional)

202 230-5171 **Paul Seltman** **pseltman@gcd.com**

6. General description of registrant's business or activities

Law Firm

CLIENT

A lobbying firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should cl
labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10. ☐ Self

7. Client Name **Guidant Corporation**

Address **1310 G Street, N.W.** **Suite 770**

City **Washington** State **DC** Zip **20005**

8. Principal place of business (if different from line 7)

City **Indianapolis** State/Zip (or Country) **IN 46244**

9. General description of client's business or activities

Medical device company that manufactures cardiovascular products in addition to other items.

LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person listed in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within two years of first acting as a lobbyist for this client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Paul Seltman	

Registrant Name: **Gardner, Carton & Douglas**

Client Name: **Guidant Corporation**

LOBBYING ISSUES

11. General lobbying issue areas. Select all applicable codes listed in instructions and on the reverse side of Form LD-1, page 1.

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12. Specific lobbying issues (current and anticipated)

FY 2006 Medicare Inpatient Proposed Rule.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

13. Is there an entity other than the client that contributes more than $10,000 to the lobbying activities of the registrant in a semiannual period and in whole or major part plans, supervises, or controls the registrant's lobbying activities?

☒ No. Go to line 14. ☐ Yes. Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching th criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

Name	Address	Principal Place of Busin (city and state or countr

FOREIGN ENTITIES

14. Is there any foreign entity that:

a) holds at least 20% equitable ownership in the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
b) directly or indirectly, in whole or in major part, plans, supervises, controls, directs, finances, or subsidizes activities of the client or any organization identified on line 13; or
c) is an affiliate of the client or any organization identified on line 13 and has a direct interest in the outcome of the lobbying activity?

☒ No. Sign and date the registration. ☐ Yes. Complete the rest of this section for each entity matching th criteria above, the sign and date the registration.

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

Signature  Date **7/15/1905**

Robert Waters, Partner

Printed Name and Title Robert Waters - Partner

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