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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 1/15/99

2. House Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_ Senate Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_

## REGISTRANT

3. Registrant name The Advocacy Group

Address 1350 I Street, N.W. #680

City Washington State DC Zip 20005

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

City n/a State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_

5. Telephone number and contact name

(202) 393-4841 Contact George A. Ramonas E-mail (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

6. General description of registrant's business or activities

Public Affairs Consultants

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

7. Client name The Detroit International Bridge Company

Address PO Box 3266

City DETROIT State MI Zip 48232

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

City n/a State/Zip (or Country) \_\_\_\_\_

9. General description of client's business or activities

Owners and operators of the Ambassador bridge.

## 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 the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<u>Robert E. Millia</u>	
<u>Kristin H. Hughes</u>	

**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)

Customs Reauthorization Bill  
Treasury Postal Appropriations

**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 in 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 the criteria above, then proceed to line 14.

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)
The Canadian Transit Company	780 Huron Church Rd. #202 Windsor Ontario	Ontario, Canada

**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 the criteria above, then sign and date the registration.

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client
The Canadian Transit Company	780 Huron Church Rd. #202 Windsor, Ontario N9C 2K2	Ontario, Canada	50%	50%

Signature *Caroline Valde Rynnick* Date *2/12/99*  
 Printed Name and Title *Caroline Valde Rynnick, Manager*