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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name The Charles Group			
2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported 18630 Reliant Drive, Gaithersburg, MD 20879			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Marina Charles	Telephone (301) 977-8800	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 53458-176
7. Client Name ☐ Self Bracco Diagnostics, Inc.			6. House ID # 34953007

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☒ OR Year End (July 1-Dec)
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 INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☒ ⇨ \$ <u>20,000.00</u> Income (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).	13. Organizations EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☐ ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expected accounting method. See instructions for description of options. ☐ Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition ☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) Internal Revenue Code ☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code
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Signature



Signature _____ Date _____

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 registrant was engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code and information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

healthcare technology/imaging agents/group purchasing organizations

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

House, Senate, Fed'l Trade Commission, Dept. of Health and Human Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Rick Nagel	
Ben Bawden	
Jason Baker	

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

Signature Marina T. Charles Date July 9, 2004

Printed Name and Title Marina Sanchez, President

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