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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - **All Filers Are Required To Complete This Pa**

1. Registrant Name
Patton Boggs LLP

2. Address ___Check if diffferent than previously report
2550 M Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)
City: State/Zip (or Country)

4. Contact Name Telephone E-mail (optional)
James B. Christian 202-457-6484

5. Senate ID #
30906-9113

7. Client Name __Self
QMed Inc.

6. House ID #
31917629

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year **2004** Midyear (January 1-June 30) __ **OR** Year End (July 1-December 31) _X_

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 Activi

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 _X_ ⇨ **$60,000**
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 anyother entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this period were:

Less than $10,000 _

$10,000 or more ⇨ $_____
Expenses (nearest $20,000)

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indi
expense accounting method. See instructions for d
of options.
_**Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA defini
_**Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 603
the Internal Revenue Code
_**Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162
Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Printed Name and Title **James B. Christian, Partner**

Registrant Name **Patton Boggs LLP** Client Name **QMed Inc.**

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant en lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each code,** provide inform requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code **MMM** (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Federal Health Policy issues affecting medical device manufacturers

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

US Senate
US House of Representatives
Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	N
Kathy Means		
Sara Traigle		
Karen Thiel		
William Wynne		
Ludmila Zawistowich		

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

Signature James B. Christian Date: 02/11/2005

Printed Name and Title **James B. Christian, Partner**

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