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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name NASPE-Heart Rhythm Society			
2. Address Check if different than the previously reported 1025 Connecticut Avenue, NW Suite 1000			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): DC 20036			
4. Contact Name Amy Melnick	Telephone 202-464-3434	Email optional amelnick@hrsonline.org	5. Senate ID 29471-12
7. Client Name Self			6. House ID

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: Less than \$10,000 ☐ \$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ _____ 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).	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for reporting period were: Less than \$10,000 ☒ \$10,000 or more ☐ ⇒ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to expense accounting method. See instructions description of options. ☒ Method A. Reporting amounts using LI definitions only ☐ Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code ☐ Method C. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title: Amy Melnick, Vice-President, Health Policy

Registrant Name NASPE-Heart Rhythm SocietyClient Name self

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 code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.**

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Pending Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) national coverage decision to expand ICD coverage for the Medicare population

Physician payment reductions

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

☐ Check if None

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

Senate

House

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Amy Melnick	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

☒ Check if None

Signature



Date 05/11/05

Printed Name and Title Amy Melnick, Vice-President, Health Policy

Registrant Name **NASPE-Heart Rhythm Society**Client Name **Self****Information Update Page – Complete ONLY where registration information had been changed**

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City:

State/Zip (or Country):

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount if contribution for lobbying activities	Own perc in

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant affiliated organization.

Signature



Date

5/11/05

Printed Name and Title: Amy Melnick, Vice-President, Health Policy

