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PURSUANT TO FEDERAL REGULATION OF LOBBYING ACT

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NOTE on ITEM "A."—(a) IN GENERAL. This "Report" form may be used by either an organization or an individual, as follows:
 (i) "Employee".—To file as an "employee," state (in Item "B") the name, address, and nature of business of the "employer." (If the "employee" is a firm [such as a law firm or public relations firm], partners and salaried staff members of such firm may join in filing a Report as an "employee.")
 (ii) "Employer".—To file as an "employer," write "None" in answer to Item "B."
 (b) SEPARATE REPORTS. An agent or employee should not attempt to combine his Report with the employer's Report:
 (i) Employers subject to the Act must file separate Reports and are not relieved of this requirement merely because Reports are filed by their agents or employees.
 (ii) Employees subject to the Act must file separate Reports and are not relieved of this requirement merely because Reports are filed by their employers.

A. ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL FILING

1. State name, address, and nature of business.
2. If this Report is for an Employer, list names of agents or employees who will file Reports for this Quarter.

American Zionist Committee for Public Affairs
 1737 H St., N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

I. L. Kenen
 Executive Director

Non-Profit organization interested in foreign policy

NOTE on ITEM "B."—Reports by Agents or Employees. An employee is to file, each quarter, as many Reports as he has employers; except that:
 (a) If a particular undertaking is jointly financed by a group of employers, the group is to be considered as one employer, but all members of the group are to be named, and the contribution of each member is to be specified; (b) if the work is done in the interest of one person but payment therefor is made by another, a single Report—naming both persons as "employers"—is to be filed each quarter.

B. EMPLOYER—State name, address, and nature of business. If there is no employer, write "None."

NOTE ON ITEM "C."—(a) The expression "in connection with legislative interests," as used in this Report, means "in connection with attempting, directly or indirectly, to influence the passage or defeat of legislation." "The term 'legislation' means bills, resolutions, amendments, nominations, and other matters pending or proposed in either House of Congress, and includes any other matter which may be the subject of action by either House"—§ 302 (e).

(b) Before undertaking any activities in connection with legislative interests, organizations and individuals subject to the Lobbying Act are required to file a "Preliminary" Report (Registration).
 (c) After beginning such activities, they must file a "Quarterly" Report at the end of each calendar quarter in which they have either received or expended anything of value in connection with legislative interests.

C. LEGISLATIVE INTERESTS, AND PUBLICATIONS in connection therewith:

1. State approximately how long legislative interests are to continue. If receipts and expenditures in connection with legislative interests have terminated, place an "X" in the box at the left, so that this Office will no longer expect to receive Reports.
2. State the general legislative interests of the person filing and set forth the specific legislative interests by reciting: (a) Short titles of statutes and bills; (b) House and Senate numbers of bills, where known; (c) citations of statutes, where known; (d) whether for or against such statutes and bills.
3. In the case of those publications which the person filing has caused to be issued or distributed, in connection with legislative interests, set forth: (a) description, (b) quantity distributed, (c) date of distribution, (d) name of printer or publisher (if publications were paid for by person filing) or name of donor (if publications were received as a gift).

(Answer items 1, 2, and 3 in the space below. Attach additional pages if more space is needed.)

The Committee is interested in foreign policy problems in the Near East. It is primarily concerned with measures by our Government to avert war and to promote peace in the region. No specific relevant legislation was before Congress during the past quarter, but it is estimated that about one-half of the Committee's activities were concerned with potential legislative matters. Accordingly, in this report it is computed that one-half of the Committee's contributions and one-half of the Committee's expenditures are properly allocable for lobbying.

4. If this is a "Preliminary" Report (Registration) rather than a "Quarterly" Report, state below what the nature and amount of anticipated expenses will be; and if for an agent or employee, state also what the daily, monthly, or annual rate of compensation is to be. If this is a "Quarterly" Report, disregard this Item "C 4" and fill out Items "D" and "E" on the back of this page. Do not attempt to combine a "Preliminary" Report (Registration) with a "Quarterly Report." ←

↓ State or Territory

District of Columbia

AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned affiant, being duly sworn, say: (1) That I have examined the attached Report, numbered consecutively from page 1 through page 8, and the same is true, correct, and complete as I verily believe. (Be sure to fill in number of last page.)

[If the Report is for an individual, strike out paragraph "2."] ← (2) That I am Executive Director of the above-named organization, for whom this Report is filed, and that I am authorized to make this affidavit for and on behalf of such person.

[Print or type name below signature] (Signed) I. L. Kenen Affiant
 (Typed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on _____, 1956
 [Print or type name below signature] (Signed) _____ (Official authorized to administer oaths)
 (Typed)

(iii) Receipts of Multi-purpose Organizations.—Some organizations do not receive any funds which are to be used for the purpose of attempting to influence legislation. Such organizations make such expenditures out of a general fund raised by them, or other contributions. The percentage of the general fund which is used for such expenditures indicates the percentage of their other contributions which may be considered to have been paid for that purpose. Therefore, in reporting receipts, such organizations specify what that percentage is, and report their dues, assessments, and other contributions on that basis. However, each contributor of \$500 or more is to be listed, regardless of whether the contribution was made solely for legislative purposes.

(c) IF THIS REPORT IS FOR AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE.—(i) In General. In the case of many employees, all receipts will come under Items "D 5" (received for services) and "D 12" (expense money and reimbursements). In the absence of a clear statement to the contrary, it will be presumed that your employer is to reimburse you for all expenditures which you make in connection with legislative interests.

(ii) Employer as Contributor of \$500 or More.—When your contribution from your employer (in the form of salary, fee, etc.) amounts to \$500 or more, it is not necessary to report such contributions under "D 13" and "D 14," since the amount has already been reported under "D 5," and the name of the "employer" has been given under Item "B" on page 1 of this report.

D. RECEIPTS (INCLUDING CONTRIBUTIONS AND LOANS)

Fill in every blank. If the answer to any numbered item is "None," write "NONE" in the space following the number.

Receipts (other than loans)

1. \$ None Dues and assessments
2. \$ 8,660.21 Gifts of money or anything of value
3. \$ None Printed or duplicated matter received as a gift
4. \$ None Receipts from sale of printed or duplicated matter
5. \$ None Received for services (e. g., salary, fee, etc.)
6. \$ 8,660.21 TOTAL for this Quarter (Add items "1" through "5")
7. \$ None Received during previous Quarters of calendar year
8. \$ 8,660.21 TOTAL from Jan. 1 through this Quarter (Add "6" and "7")

Loans Received—"The term 'contribution' includes a . . . loan . . ."—§ 302 (a).

9. \$ None TOTAL now owed to others on account of loans
10. \$ None Borrowed from others during this Quarter
11. \$ None Repaid to others during this Quarter
12. \$ None "Expense Money" and Reimbursements received this quarter.

Contributors of \$500 or More (from Jan. 1 through this Quarter)

13. Have there been such contributors? **Yes**
Please answer "yes" or "no": Yes No
14. In the case of each contributor whose contributions (including loans) during the "period" from January 1 through the last day of this Quarter, total \$500 or more:

Attach hereto plain sheets of paper, approximately the size of this page, tabulate data under the headings "Amount" and "Name and Address of Contributor"; and indicate whether the last day of the period is March 31, June 30, September 30, or December 31. Prepare such tabulation in accordance with the following example:

Amount	Name and Address of Contributor
\$1,500.00	John Doe, 1621 Blank Bldg., New York, N. Y.
1,785.00	The Roe Corporation, 2511 Doe Bldg., Chicago, Ill.
\$3,285.00	TOTAL

NOTE on ITEM "E."—(a) IN GENERAL. "The term 'expenditure' includes a payment, distribution, loan, advance, deposit, or gift of money or anything of value and includes a contract, promise, or agreement, whether or not legally enforceable, to make an expenditure"—§ 302 (b) of the Lobbying Act.

(b) IF THIS REPORT IS FOR AN AGENT OR EMPLOYEE. In the case of many employees, all expenditures will come under telephone and telegraph (Item "E 6") and travel, food, lodging, and entertainment (Item "E 7").

E. EXPENDITURES (INCLUDING LOANS) in connection with legislative interests:

Fill in every blank. If the answer to any numbered item is "None," write "NONE" in the space following the number.

Expenditures (other than loans)

1. \$ None Public relations and advertising services
2. \$ 8,177.93 Wages, salaries, fees, commissions (other than Item "1")
3. \$ None Gifts or contributions made during Quarter
4. \$ 4,406.68 Printed or duplicated matter, including distribution cost
5. \$ 1,070.84 Office overhead (rent, supplies, utilities, etc.)
6. \$ 776.43 Telephone and telegraph
7. \$ 1,423.49 Travel, food, lodging, and entertainment
8. \$ 63.87 All other expenditures
9. \$ 15,919.24 TOTAL for this Quarter (add "1" through "8")
10. \$ None Expended during previous Quarters of calendar year
11. \$ 15,919.24 TOTAL from January 1 through this Quarter (add "9" and "10")

Loans Made to Others—"The term 'expenditure' includes a . . . loan . . ."—§ 302 (b).

12. \$ None TOTAL now owed to person filing
13. \$ None Lent to others during this Quarter
14. \$ None Repayments received during this Quarter

15. Recipients of Expenditures of \$10 or More

In the case of expenditures made during this Quarter by, or on behalf of, the person filing: Attach plain sheets of paper approximately the size of this page and tabulate data as to expenditures under the following headings: "Amount," "Date or Dates," "Name and Address of Recipient," "Purpose." Prepare such tabulation in accordance with the following example:

Amount	Date or Dates	Name and Address of Recipient—Purpose
\$1,750.00	7-11:	Roe Printing Co., 3214 Blank Ave., St. Louis, Mo.—Printing and mailing circulars on the "Marshbanks Bill."
\$2,400.00	7-15, 8-15, 9-15:	Britten & Blatten, 3127 Gremlin Bldg., Washington, D. C.—Public relations service at \$800.00 per month.
\$4,150.00	TOTAL	

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

It is estimated that only one-half of the Committee's funds were disbursed or are properly allocable for lobbying. However, all of the Committee's disbursements of \$10 or more during the first quarter of 1956 are fully listed below, although most of these expenditures do not involve any lobbying activities and were directed generally for foreign policy problems.

1. Public relations and advertising services:

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2. Wages, salaries, fees, commissions, etc.:

Mr. I. L. Kenen, 302 Beechwood Rd., Alex., Va. For Executive Services - Months of Nov. 1955 through Mar. 1956	\$ 5,999.98
Mr. Sydney Lubarr, 9202 Chanute Dr., Bethesda, Md. For executive Services - Dec. 31, 1955; Jan. 15, 1956; Jan. 31; Feb. 15.	2,500.00
Miss Rita Grossman, 1930 Columbia Rd., N.W., Wash., D.C. For Secretarial Services Jan. 15; Jan. 31; Feb. 15; Feb. 29; Mar. 15; Mar. 30.	1,749.99
Mrs. Anne Mazor, 4374 N. Pershing Dr., Arl., Va. For Secretarial Services Jan. 15; 31; Feb. 15; 29.	1,076.90
Mrs. Frieda Liebman, 215 Constitution Ave., N.E., Wash. For Secretarial Services Jan. 15; 31; Feb. 15; 29; Mar. 2; 15.	774.00
Miss Gertrude Hochman, 5712 - 6th St., N. W., Wash. For Secretarial Services Jan. 15; 31; Feb. 15; 29; Mar. 15; 30	975.00
Mr. Allen Lesser, 3315 Fessenden St., N. W., Wash. For Executive Services Feb. 29; Mar. 15; 30.	1,400.00
Mrs. Sondra Nibauer, 1613 29th St., S. E., Wash. For Secretarial Services Feb. 29; Mar. 15; 30.	345.34
Mr. Wilbert L. Whitsett, 1126 Columbia Rd., N.W., Wash. For Secretarial Services Mar. 15; 30.	99.38
Miss Maxine Haleff, 1525 28th St., S. E., Wash., D.C. For Secretarial Services Mar. 15; 30.	66.12
Mr. Arnold H. Wallack, 148-09 Northern Blvd., Flushing, L.I. For Executive Services Mar. 15; 30.	1,250.00
Mrs. Doris Rosenbluh, 108 Atlantic St., S. E., Wash., D.C. For Secretarial Services Mar. 30.	119.16

New Era Lithograph Co., 495 Broadway, N.Y.C. For printing Jan. 13; Feb. 8	\$ 1,000.00
AAA Letter Service, 724 - 9th St., N.W., Wash., D.C. Misc. typing, postage, publications, etc. Jan. 13; 30; Feb. 29; Mar. 15; 30.	3,166.94
Ursula Cipoletta, 79 Milk St., Boston, Mass. For publication "Foot of Pride." Jan. 27.	253.00
Liberty Letter Service, 108 So. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles 4, Calif. Letters for Nat. Fin. Council in L.A. and campaign. Jan. 31; Feb. 8	357.87
Kaufmann Press, 25 Mass. Ave., N.W., Wash., D.C. For printing, publications, etc. Jan. 30; Feb. 29; Mar. 15	2,503.08
Public Printer, Government Printing Office, Wash. 25, D.C. Reprints of reports and speech. Feb. 3; 10; 29; Mar. 9; 30.	1,312.00
Congressional Quarterly, 1156 19th St., N.W., Wash. 6, D.C. Mar.-May 1956. Feb. 8.	51.00
Middle Eastern Affairs, 432 Fourth Ave., New York 16, N.Y. 2 vol. books Feb. 29	72.00
Catherine T. Gillen Letter Shop, 99 Bedford St., Boston. Mailing. Feb. 29	32.58
Unique Letter Service, 260 E. 138th St., Bronx 51, N.Y. Printing Mar. 15	42.75
International Business Services, 1026 20th St., N.W., Wash. Publication Mar. 15	22.14

5. Office Overhead:

Allpure Spring Water Co., Rear 1225 - 25th St., N.W., Wash. For water service Jan. 13; Feb. 8; Mar. 15	19.83
Ginn's, 1417 New York Ave., N.W., Wash., D.C. For Office Supplies Jan. 13; 30; Feb. 29	136.01
Capital News Co., P.O. Box 1316, Wash., D.C. For newspapers Jan. 13; Feb. 8; Mar. 15	25.40
International Business Service, 1026 20th St., N.W., Wash. Typing, etc. Jan. 13; Feb. 8; 29	192.81
Charold Corp., Woodward Bldg., Wash., D.C. Office Rent Jan.; Feb.; Mar.	960.00

Mr. Stephen Kraft, Courtyard, 2118 Mass. Ave., N.W., Wash. Art work, etc.: "The Near East," etc. Feb. 8	\$ 127.50
Mr. Chester, Wash., D.C. Running addressograph machine. Feb. 21; Feb. 23; Mar. 2.	50.75
Mr. Sylvan Berman, 1415 Tuckerman St., N.W., Wash. Writing Feb. 29.	25.00
Leon Office Machines Co., Inc. 625 F St., N.W., Wash. For furniture and equipment. Feb. 29.	26.50
Washington Envelope Co., Inc., 2700 26th St., N.E., Wash. 52,000 envelopes Feb. 29.	210.04
Railway Express Co., 2nd and Eye Sts., N.E., Wash. Delivery expense Mar. 30.	10.92
Postage, Jan. 1 through Mar. 30	356.92
 6. Telephone and Telegraph	
C & P Telephone Co., Wash., D.C. For telephone service Dec. 25, 1955; Jan. 25, 1956; Feb. 25.	1,168.51
Netley Office Plan, Ltd., 527 Lexington Ave., New York, NY Telephone answering service. Jan. 27; Feb. 29.	20.00
Western Union of Washington For telegrams and Messenger Service Jan. 30; Feb. 29.	77.94
Rep. Hugh Scott, House of Representatives, Wash., D.C. To reimburse him for telephone calls and telegrams made by our Committee in his Philadelphia office. March 30.	286.41
 7. Travel, Food, Lodging and Entertainment:	
To Rabbi Philip Bernstein, 117 Gibbs St., Rochester, NY Reimbursement for expenses Jan. 3, 4, 5; Jan. 17 - 19; Jan. 30; Jan. 31, Feb. 1; Mar. 15.	525.00
To I. L. Kensn (Address first page) Reimbursement for expenses Months of Nov., Dec., 1955; Jan.-Mar. 30, 1956	1,346.76
To Rita Grossman, (Address first page) Reimbursement for expenses Jan. 13; Jan. 13-Feb. 7.	82.07

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To Sydney Lubarr (Address first page)	
Reimbursement for expenses	
Nov. 19, 1955 - Jan. 7, 1956; Jan. 14 - Feb. 18.	\$ 424.81
American Airlines, Inc.	
Plane travel	
Feb. 8; Mar. 15.	180.34
To Allen Lesser (Address first page)	
Reimbursement for expenses	
Feb.; Mar. 15; Mar. 13 - 29.	37.99
To Arnold H. Wallack (Address first page)	
Revolving travel fund	
Mar. 9.	250.00

8. All Other Expenditures:

District Unemployment Compensation Board	
To correct rept. end. Sept. 30, 1955, and	
4th quarter return, 1955.	127.74

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CONTRIBUTIONS AND LOANS OF \$500 AND OVER

Period - January 1 - March 31, 1956

Aaron Weisberg
Sands Hotel
Las Vegas, Nevada

Contribution - February 27, 1956 \$ 500.00

Joseph M. Mazer
477 Madison Avenue
New York 22, New York

Contribution - March 30, 1956 1,000.00

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