

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2009-2010 Legislative Session

January-June 2009

Visa U.S.A.

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>111.25</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
Capitol Consultants Inc			\$15,000.00
Michelle Kussow	3.00	109.25	\$0.00
Brandon Scholz	0.00	2.00	\$0.00
Comments:	The name of the lobbying firm is The Capitol Group, LLC and not Capitol Consultants, Inc.		
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>3.00 Hours</b>	<b>111.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>50%</b>
regulation of gift cards			50 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>			<b>50%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>			<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Thursday, July 30, 2009**

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Michelle Kussow and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Visa U.S.A..

I further understand that if I know or believe that the records I submit are not complete or that any part of it is not true, I may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for 5 years or both. I understand that Wisconsin Statutes require me to retain until 3 years from the date that the records are filed documents necessary to substantiate these reports.