

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
Contract Lobbyists	3.00	111.25	\$15,000.00
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.		
In-House Lobbyists	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$0.00
Overhead²			\$0.00
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	3.00 Hours	111.25 Hours	\$15,000.00

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	0%
Budget Bill Subjects	0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	50%
regulation of gift cards	50 %
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	50%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Thursday, July 30, 2009

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Fringe benefits are automatically calculated as 30% of salary. Overhead is automatically calculated as 30% of salary plus fringe. If you wish to manually calculate fringe benefits and overhead, click the Calculate Fringe and Overhead button below.

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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.