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LOBBYIST FILING AGREEMENT

This Agreement, made this 24th day of August, 2009, by and between Laurence Levitan, lobbyist for Rite of Passage, Inc., and William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel to the Maryland State Ethics Commission (hereinafter "Staff Counsel").

RECITALS

The State Ethics Commission ("the Commission") is the executive agency of the State of Maryland established by Chapter 513, Acts of 1979 for the purpose of enforcing the Maryland Public Ethics Law (State Government Article, Title 15, Annotated Code of Maryland, hereinafter the Ethics Law) including the provisions of Subtitle 7, the lobbying disclosure program.

Laurence Levitan ("the filer") is an individual whose lobbying activities on behalf of Rite of Passage, Inc. for the period of February 5, 2009 to October 31, 2009, required him to register as a lobbyist with the State Ethics Commission.

The filer did not timely register on behalf of the employer, Rite of Passage, Inc. ("the employer"), as required by the Md. Code. Ann., State Gov't. Art., §15-703(d)(1)(Supp. 2008).

The filer subsequently registered on July 17, 2009, for the period of February 5, 2009 to October 31, 2009. The filer submitted an activity report on July 8, 2009 for the period of November 1, 2008 through April 30, 2009.

The filer is voluntarily entering into this agreement to admit his failure to timely file a lobbyist registration and an activity report with the Commission and to pay a sum of money in lieu of potential late filing fees and other fines pursuant to Section 15-405 of the Ethics Law.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the submission of the required lobbyist registration form by the filer on July 17, 2009, and the admissions and agreements herein contained, the filer and Staff Counsel stipulate and agree as follows:

1. The filer did not timely file his lobbyist registration form on behalf of Rite of Passage, Inc. for the period February 5, 2009 to October 31, 2009, as required by §15-703(d)(1) of the Ethics Law.
2. The filer reported his delinquency to the Commission on June 26, 2009 and filed his registration form on July 17, 2009. The filer submitted his activity report on July 8, 2009 (copies of which have been attached hereto and made a part thereof).
3. The filer understands that failure to comply with the lobbying disclosure provisions of the Ethics Law may subject him to a formal complaint by the Commission and, upon finding of a violation, late fees and the possibility of civil fines.

4. Based on the facts stated in this agreement the filer agrees to pay as settlement of the late filing matter, the amount of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY and no/100 Dollars (\$250.00) at the time of the execution of this agreement in lieu of potential late fees and civil fines for the above admitted late registration statement (paragraph 1).

5. The Staff Counsel will, upon execution of this Agreement by the filer, recommend that the Commission not institute any proceedings on the filer's failure to timely register. The filer understands that the Commission is under no obligation to accept this agreement and may decide to take other action, including issuing a complaint.

6. The filer waives a formal hearing on this matter (if the agreement is accepted by the Commission) to which he would be entitled if a complaint were issued, and he understands that this Agreement and materials relating to this matter are not subject to the confidentiality provisions of the Ethics law, and will be public information unless otherwise protected.

7. The filer understands a copy of this agreement will be mailed to his employer.

8. The filer and the Staff Counsel have entered into this Agreement for the sole purpose of resolving the late submission of a lobbyist registration statement and for the payment of late fees and other fines and for no other purpose.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Laurence Levitan and William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel to the State Ethics Commission, have hereunto set their hands.

SIGNATURE APPEARS ON
ORIGINAL AGREEMENT

William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel
State Ethics Commission
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Annapolis, MD 21401
(410) 260-7770

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Laurence Levitan
Rifkin, Livingston, Levitan & Silver, LLC
lobbyist for Rite of Passage, Inc.

State of Maryland
County of: Anne Arundel, to wit:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Laurence Levitan who made oath on this 24 day of August, 2009 in due form of law that the matters and facts hereinabove set forth are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, and are his voluntary act and that he executed this document for the purpose set forth herein.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 8/1/11

State of Maryland,
County of: ANNE ARUNDEL, to wit:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel to the State Ethics Commission, who made oath on this 28 day of AUGUST, 2009 in due form of law that he executed this agreement for the purposes set forth herein.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: November 09, 2010

DONALD M. STREET
Notary Public-Maryland
Anne Arundel County
My Commission Expires
November 09, 2010

Accepted by the Commission

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Robert F. Scholz, Chair
for the Commission

Date: September 29, 2009

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GENERAL LOBBYING ACTIVITY REPORT (Form #4)

Read instructions carefully before completing this form. If you had reportable expenses or compensation during the reporting period, complete Parts A, B, C, D, E, F and G of the Activity Report. If you had no reportable compensation or expenses during the reporting period, but were registered to engage in lobbying, check here and complete Parts A, E, F and G. If additional forms are required for this employer, those forms should be attached to and made part of this filing.

Period covered by this report: November 1, 20 2008 through April 30, 20 09
May 1, 20 through October 31, 20

A. Identification of Regulated Lobbyist (Registrant and Employer)

A-1. Identifying information (complete all blanks, compare to registration form, and explain any differences)

- a) Name Laurence Levitan
- b) Permanent Address (Include firm name if applicable) Rifkin, Livingston, Levitan & Silver, LLC
225 Duke of Gloucester Street
Annapolis, MD 21401
- c) Business Telephone (410) 269-5066
- d) Occupation or Type of Business Attorney

A-2. Identification of others required to register:

- a) Was any other person required to register as a lobbyist on behalf of the person or organization identified in section A-1?
Yes No
- b) If the answer to a) is "Yes," identify each such person below and give their name and address:

A-3. Identification of employer (complete only if registrant acts on behalf of another):

- a) Identify all persons or organizations who compensate the registrant for activities requiring this registration:
Name Rite of Passage, Inc.
Permanent Address 2560 Business Parkway, Suite A
Minden, Nevada 89423
Business Telephone (775) 267-9411
Nature of Business Juvenile Service Provider
- b) Identify any other person who the registrant represents regarding the matters covered by this registration (if none, put in none) None

A-4. Primary purpose of organization:

Is the employer, or registrant organization if there was not an employer, organized and operated for the primary purpose of attempting to influence any legislative or executive action? Yes No
(If "Yes," the Report of Contributors Form No. 12 must also be completed.)

A-5. Registration Information:

- a) State the period (include both beginning and ending month, day and year) for which this registration is effective:
February 5, 2009 to October 31, 2009
- b) Identify the matters (including formal designation if known) on which the registrant acted or employed someone to act during the registration period covered by this report Preserve and protect the client's interests before the Board of Public Works and other executive branch agencies, MD GA and local officials regarding services for juvenile offenders
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A-6. Does the employer listed in A-3 claim to be exempt from lobbyist registration and reporting because all expenditures requiring registration are reported by the registrant, another registrant, or by the registrant with other registrants?

Yes No If the exemption claimed differs from the registration form, please explain in writing. _____

B. Compensation and Expenses

B-1. Meals and beverages for officials or employees or their immediate families. B-1 \$0.00

B-2. Special events, including dinners and receptions, entertainment, and other functions to which all members of the General Assembly, either house thereof, all members of any standing committee or all members of a formally recognized (for ethics disclosure purposes) county or regional delegation have received written invitations. List date, location, group of invitees who benefited and total expenses for each event. (Not required for meals and receptions listed completely and accurately on the 14-Day Report, Form 13F, but check below.)
 ___ Event(s) Fully Reported on 14-Day Report(s)

Total B-2
Expenses \$0.00

B-3. Expenses for food, lodging, or scheduled entertainment of officials and employees for a meeting which are given in return for participation in a panel or speaking engagement at the meeting. List date, location, and total expense for each meeting. If the total amount in expenses on any one official or employee is \$200 or more for any meeting, also include the person's name and the amount expended for the person at the meeting.

Total B-3
Expenses \$0.00

B-4. Expenses for food and beverages received by member of General Assembly or members at approved legislative organization meeting. List location, name of legislative organization, date and total expense for each meeting. _____
Total B-4
Expenses \$0.00

B-5. Expenses for a ticket or free admission to members of the General Assembly to attend charitable, cultural or political events where all members of legislative unit are invited by the event holder. List event, location, date, legislative unit and total expenses for each event.

Total B-5
Expenses \$0.00

B-6. Gifts to or for officials or employees or their immediate families (not including sums reported in B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4 and B-5). B-6 \$0.00

Subtotal of Items B-1 through B-6 - \$ _____

B-7. Total compensation paid to registrant (not including sums reported in any other section of Part B). B-7 \$ 750.00
 Check here if the amount has been prorated because the registrant is compensated for services in addition to lobbying activities. _____

B-8. Salaries, compensation and reimbursed expenses for staff of the registrant. B-8 \$0.00

B-9. Office Expenses not reported in B-7 and B-8. B-9 \$0.00

B-10. Cost of professional and technical research and assistance not reported in B-7 and B-8. B-10 \$0.00

B-11. Publications and expenses which expressly encourage persons to communicate with officials or employees. B-11 \$0.00

B-12. Names of witnesses and the fees and expenses paid to each: _____ B-12 \$0.00

B-13. Other expenses B-13 \$0.00

TOTAL \$750.00

C. Gifts or participation in gifts with a cumulative value of \$75 or more. (Forms 13C and 13D, Section 15-704(c))
 (Check One) Yes, Attached No Report Required

D. Gifts or participation in gifts of meals and beverages to elected Executive officials. (Forms 13A and 13B, Section 15-705)
 (Check One) Yes, Attached No Report Required

E. Business transactions with officials. (Form 21, Section 15-706)
 (Check One) Yes, Attached No Report Required

F. Political contributions required to be disclosed. (Form 22, Section 15-707)
 (Check One) Yes, Attached No Report Required

G. Signature and Oath
 I hereby make oath or affirm under the penalties of perjury that the contents of this report including any attachments thereto, are complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

(SEAL)

Signature of Person Filing: _____

Date: _____

Sworn to before me this _____

Signature of Notary Public: _____

Printed/typed Name of Notary Public: _____



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