

Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives
Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony"
Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)(5)

1. Your Name: Ann Wilson		
2. Your Title: Senior Vice President		
3. The Entity(ies) You are Representing: Motor & Equipment Manufacturers Association (MEMA)		
4. Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local government entity?	Yes	No X
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts or payments originating with a foreign government, that you or the entity(ies) you represent have received on or after January 1, 2013. Only grants, contracts, or payments related to the subject matter of the hearing must be listed. N/A		
6. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		

Signature: 

Date: 11/11/16

LACEY ANN WILSON (Ann)

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Over thirty years of experience as an attorney and government relations professional for the private and public sectors with substantial experience at the Federal, state, and international levels. Successfully represent Fortune 500 companies before members of Congress, Executive Branch officials, state legislatures, state and local agencies, and before international regulatory bodies. Direct policy and strategic development and manage relationships with industry leadership. Serve as spokesperson for industry on wide range of policy issues.

CAREER EXPERIENCE

Motor and Equipment Manufacturers Association

(June 2004 to Present)

Washington, DC

Senior Vice President of Government Affairs (Promoted November 2007)

Head Washington, D.C. office with responsibility for entire professional and administrative staff and budget in excess of \$3.0 million. Represent over 1,000 manufacturers of original equipment and aftermarket motor vehicle parts on domestic and international policy issues before White House, Congress, federal and state agencies, and international trade and industry organizations. Serve as industry expert with national and trade press and liaison with industry trade associations. Provide legislative and regulatory guidance and communications to MEMA Board and four divisional boards. Direct consensus dialogue between senior staff and members to address industry issues.

Built public policy program for industry strengthening ties with Congress and creating regulatory program. Coordinated three industry image campaigns focusing on employment and technology. Led industry in national crisis working closely with Congress, Administration officials, automakers, and member companies. Successfully advocated for critical assistance for the entire supplier network.

Rubber Manufacturers Association

(June 1998 to June 2004)

Washington, DC

Senior Vice President of Government Affairs (Promoted October 2001)

Led industry through public policy crisis directing outreach with Congress and the Administration. Worked closely with RMA Board of Directors and member committees

in creating, managing, and implementing policy directives. Represented tire and rubber products manufacturers before Congress, federal agencies, state government, and international trade organizations. Areas of expertise include tire safety regulations, state and federal taxes, and international trade and harmonization. Created Issues Book and state legislative monitoring service for members. Managed budget in excess of \$1 million.

American Moving and Storage Association

(March 1991 to June 1998)

Alexandria, VA

Vice President of Government Affairs

Responsible for all state and federal lobbying efforts on behalf of trade association representing household goods moving companies. Represented member companies before Congress. Worked with state moving associations and member companies on state legislative and regulatory issues of concern. Created grass roots network to provide member support for legislative issues.

American Trucking Associations

(July 1989 to March 1991)

Alexandria, VA

State Legislative Counsel

Represented trucking industry in state regulatory and legislative matters. Worked extensively with state trucking associations, national organizations, and state governments. Wrote and edited legislative summary of state issues.

Sam Gregorio, Attorney at Law

(March 1988 to January 1989)

Shreveport, LA

Attorney

Worked part-time for a solo general practitioner.

Louisiana Municipal Association

(April 1986 to March 1988)

Baton Rouge, LA

Staff Attorney

Represented members before Louisiana legislature. Drafted proposed policy statements and resolutions for general membership. Answered wide variety of legal inquiries and planned annual conference for city attorneys and other conferences for various city officials.

Louisiana Department of Revenue and Taxation

(July 1983 to April 1986)

Baton Rouge, LA

Staff Attorney

Handled cases on income and sales tax issues in all stages of state litigation.
Coordinated writing and promulgation of all tax regulations for the Department.

Acadiana Legal Services Corporation

(June 1981 to June 1983)

Lafayette, LA

Staff Attorney

Specialized in representing clients in federal litigation involving Social Security disability programs and access to education for the handicapped.

EDUCATION

Washington University School of Law, St. Louis, MO

Juris Doctorate, 1981 (National Order of Barrister)

University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC

B.A. May 1978 (Cum Laude)