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FORM LM-30
LABOR ORGANIZATION OFFICER AND EMPLOYEE REPORT

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READ THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE PREPARING THIS REPORT.

1. File Number U- 7828

2. Fiscal Year Covered From: 1 / 1 / 2004 Through: 12 / 31 / 2004

3. Name and address of person filing.

Name: John Cobe

P.O. Box, Bldg., Room No., if any:

Street: 37450 Schoolcraft, Suite 110

City: Livonia

State: Michigan ZIP Code + 4: 48150-1082

4. Name, file number, and address of labor organization.

Name: Operating Engineers' Local 324

Labor Organization File Number: 019-088

P.O. Box, Building and Room Number, if any:

Street: 37450 Schoolcraft, Suite 110

City: Livonia

State: Michigan ZIP Code + 4: 48150-1082

5. Position in labor organization: Business Agent and Secretary

Enter appropriate data below if, during the past fiscal year, you or your spouse or minor child directly or indirectly had any of the following interests (except as specified in the exclusions set forth in the instructions):

A. Held an interest in, engaged in transactions (including loans) with, or derived income or other economic benefit of monetary value from an employer whose employees your organization represents or is actively seeking to represent.

6. Name and address of Employer (including trade name, if any).

Name:

Trade Name, if any:

P.O. Box, Bldg., Room No., if any:

Street:

City:

State: ZIP Code + 4:

7.a. Nature of Interest, Transaction, or Income.

7.b. Amount.

Signature

15. Signature and verification. The undersigned declares, under penalty of Perjury and other applicable penalties of the law, that all of the information submitted in this report (including the information contained in any accompanying documents), has been examined by the signatory and is, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, true, correct, and complete. (See the section on penalties in the instructions.)

Signed: John Cobe On: 8/8/05 (Date) 734-4623660 (Telephone Number)

Name of Person Filing John Cobe	File Number U-

B. Held an interest in or derived income or economic benefit with monetary value from a business (1) a substantial part of which consists of buying from, selling or leasing to, or otherwise dealing with the business of an employer whose employees your labor organization represents or is actively seeking to represent, or (2) any part of which consists of buying from or selling or leasing directly or indirectly to, or otherwise dealing with your labor organization or with a trust in which your labor organization is interested.

8. Name and address of Business (including trade name, if any).

Name: Associated Benefits Company

Trade Name, if any:

P.O. Box, Bldg., Room No., if any:

Street: 24600 Northwestern Highway

City: Southfield

State: Michigan ZIP Code + 4: 48075

9. Business deals with:

- [ ] a. Labor Organization
- [x] b. Trust
- [ ] c. Employer

10. If 9.b. or 9.c. is checked give trust or employer's name.

Name: Operating Engineers' Local 324 Health Care

Trade Name, if any:

P.O. Box, Bldg., Room No., if any:

Street: 2075 W. Big Beaver, Suite 700

City: Troy

State: Michigan ZIP Code + 4: 48084

11.a. Nature of such dealing.

Provides marketing services and consulting for Blue Cross to the Health Care Plan.

11.b. Approximate dollar value of such dealing: $100,000

12.a. Nature of interest held or income received.

Provided a Holiday Basket which included food stuff.

12.b. Amount: $50

C. **Received from any employer** (other than an employer covered under parts A and B above) or from any labor relations consultant to an employer any payment of money or other thing of value.

13.a. Name and address of Employer or Labor Relations Consultant (including trade name, if any).

Name:

Trade Name, if any:

P.O. Box, Bldg., Room No., if any:

Street:

City:

State: ZIP Code + 4:

14.a. Nature of payment.

13.b. Is the Business an Employer [ ] or Consultant [ ] ?

14.b. Amount of payment: