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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name National Cotton Council	
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported P.O. Box 820285	
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Memphis State/zip (or Country) TN 38182-0285	
4. Contact Name R. E. Shellabarger	Telephone 901-274-9030
5. Senate ID # 27571-12	
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID # 30376000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____

11. No Lobbying Activities

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>120,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of option</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions c</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature R. E. Shellabarger Date 9/22/05

Printed Name and Title R. E. Shellabarger, Assistant Treasurer
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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each co information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code AGR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

US Senate	US Department of State
US House of Representatives	Environmental Protection Agency
US Department of Agriculture	Consumer Product Safety Commission
US Trade Representative	
US Department of Commerce	

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
John Maguire	VP, Washington Operations
Robbie Minnich	Government Relations Representative

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature: R. E. Shellabarger Date: 9/22/05

Printed Name and Title: R. E. Shellabarger, Assistant Treasurer

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Garrett Van Duyn

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Busi (city and state or count

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ow perc clie

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client affiliated organization

Signature *R. E. Shellabarger* Date 9/22/05

Printed Name and Title R. E. Shellabarger, Assistant Treasurer

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January 1 – June 30, 2005

Registrant - National Cotton Council

Client Name - Self

Addendum A.

Item # 16. Specific Bills and Issues:

- Implementation of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (contacts with both Department of Agriculture and members of House and Senate)
- Agricultural appropriations for the 2006 fiscal year (contacts with members of House and Senate)
- Budget resolution for 2006 fiscal year (contacts with members of House and Senate) and Budget Reconciliation for the 2006 and subsequent fiscal years
- Legislation and regulations related to federal disaster assistance (communications with members of Congress and U.S. Department of Agriculture officials)
- Regulations and issues dealing with cotton storage (contacts with U.S. Department of Agriculture officials)
- Regulations dealing with cotton bale phytosanitary issues (contacts with U.S. Department of Agriculture officials)
- Regulations and issues dealing with operation of Federal Crop Insurance Program (communications with members of Congress and U.S. Department of Agriculture)
- Trade negotiations with China (contacts with Congress, U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Trade Representative, the State Department and the Commerce Department; testimony to House Ways & Means and Small Business Committees)
- Legislation to implement the Central America Free Trade Agreement (communications with members of Congress and testimony to Senate Agriculture Committee)
- International Trade Dispute with Brazil (contacts with Congress, U.S. Department of Agriculture and U.S. Trade Representative)
- Issues related to the implementation of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (communications with U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)
- Issues related to the Endangered Species Act (communications with members of Congress and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)
- Comments to Consumer Product Safety Commission's proposed rule on flammability standards
- Issues related to the Clean Water Act (communications with members of Congress)
- Issues related to use and registration of crop protection products (communications with U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)
- Issues related to U.S. World Trade Organization proposals (communications with Congress and U.S. Trade Representative and U.S. Department of Agriculture)

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