

Clerk of the House of Representatives
 Legislative Resource Center
 B-106 Cannon Building
 Washington, DC 20515

Secretary of the Senate
 Office of Public Records
 232 Hart Building
 Washington, DC 20510

RECEIVED
 SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
 PUBLIC RECORDS
 00 AUG 14 AM 10:03

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name American Bioenergy Association			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 314 Massachusetts Ave., NE, Washington, DC 20002			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Megan Smith	Telephone 202/467-6540	E-mail (optional) msmith2@erols.com	5. Senate ID # 43673-12
7. Check Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 34125000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 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 Activity

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title **Megan S. Smith, Co-Director**

Registrant Name American Bioenergy Assn Client Name same

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR#1: s1576

HR. 4733

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

House, Senate, DOE, OSTP, CEQ

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	Y
Megan Smith	Co-director	0
Katherine Hamilton	Co-director	0
		0
		0
		0
		0
		0
		0

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

Signature *Megan Smith* Date 8/11/00

Printed Name and Title Megan Smith, Director

Registrant Name ABA Client Name American Bioenergy Associatio

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

20 Client new address

314 Massachusetts Ave., NE, Washington, DC 20002

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

na

LOBBYIST UPDATE

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

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 Business (city and state or country)
<u>na</u>		

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

na

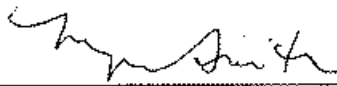
FOREIGN ENTITIES

27 Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client
<u>na</u>				

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

Signature



Date

8/11/00

Printed Name and Title

Megan Smith, Director

Form LD-1 (Rev. 6/98)

Page 2 of 2