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Secretary of the Senate Received: Feb 14, 2008

# LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:
HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP
2. Address: One Hartford Plaza Hartford Plaza HO-1-11, Hartford, CT 06155
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): City: HARTFORD   State/Zip(or Country): CT 06115
4. Contact Name: SARAH E. RANSBOTTOM Telephone: 2022968815 E-mail (optional): sarah.ransbottom@thehartford.com
Senate ID #: 17682-12 House ID #: 30500000
7. Client Name: 🗵 Self
TYPE OF REPORT
8. Year 2007 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
12. Lobbying Firms
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:
Less than \$10,000:
\$10,000 or more: => Income (nearest \$20,000):
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to l registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).
13. Organizations
EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000:
\$10,000 or more: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 1,620,000.00
14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.
Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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## 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: CPT (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Patent issues including: S.1145 Patent Reform Act of 2007; H.R.1908 Patent Reform Act of 2007; S.2369 - To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide that certain tax planning inventions are not patentable, and for other purposes.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: DONOVAN, LAURA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KIRK, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): WHITE HOUSE

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- 15. General issue area code: FIN (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Executive Compensation Disclosure issues including H.R.1257 - Shareholder Vote on Executive Compensation Act S.1181 - Shareholder Vote on Executive Compensation Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: DONOVAN, LAURA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KIRK, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): WHITE HOUSE

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- 15. General issue area code: INS (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Terrorism Risk Insurance issues including: H.R.2761 - Terrorism Risk Insurance Revision and Extension Act of 2007 and S.2285 - Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2007; Optional Federal Charter issues including: S.40 - National Insurance Act of 2007 and H.R.3200 - National Insurance Act of 2007; Life insurance issues including: S.1865 Life Insurance Fairness Act of 2007;

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: DONOVAN, LAURA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KIRK, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): WHITE HOUSE

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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Retirement Product issues including: S.1010 Retirement Security for Life Act of 2007 H.R.2205 Retirement Security for Life Act of 2007

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: DONOVAN, LAURA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: KIRK, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): WHITE HOUSE

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- 15. General issue area code: TOR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Asbestos Reform issues including: S.Con.Res.21 Budget Resolution for FY08 S.742 Ban Asbestos in America Act of 2007

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: DONOVAN, LAURA Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: KIRK, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): WHITE HOUSE

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: SARAH E. RANSBOTTOM, FEDERAL A -

### Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

### 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 organization(s)

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

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -