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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 Fuel Gas Company

2. Address Check if different than previously reported

10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, NY 14203

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)

City:

State/Zip (or Country)

4. Contact Name

James R. Peterson

Telephone

716-857-7702

E-mail (optional)

5. Senate ID #

27877-12

7. Client Name

Self

6. House ID #

30386000

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2001

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

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 the 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 ⇒ \$ 160,000

Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 of the Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature



Printed Name and Title

James R. Peterson, Assistant Secretary
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Registrant Name National Fuel Gas Co. Client Name _____

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 information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Legislation to direct the MMS to grant the State of Louisiana and its les credit in the payment of Federal Offshore Royalties to compensate for oil gas drainage in the West Delta Fields: all provisions.
- Departments of Labor, HHS, Education & Related Agencies Appropriations Ac 2002 LIHEAP.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted

Check if None

House of Representatives

Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Gary L. Morrison	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature

James R. Patterson

Date

8/6/01

Printed Name and Title: James R. Peterson, Assistant Secretary

National Fuel Gas Company

Form LD-2 (Rev.6/98)

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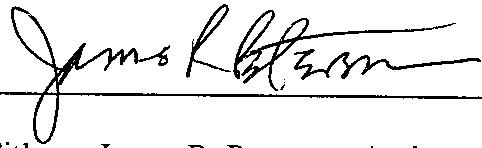
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Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995

LOBBYING ACTIVITY, #16 Continued:

- Energy Tax Policy Act of 2001 – Accelerated Tax Depreciation for natural gas distribution companies
- Patients Bill of Rights
- Pipeline Safety Act

Signature



Printed Name and Title James R. Peterson, Assistant Secretary
National Fuel Gas Company

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