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# **LOBBYING REPORT**

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

| 1. Registrant Name:  |
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| TYSON FOODS, INC.  |
| 2. Address:<br>601 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW SUITE 750 SOUTH, WASHINGTON, DC 20004  |
| 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):<br>Country City: SPRINGDALE State/Zip(or Country): AR 72765   |
| 4. Contact Name: NORA H. VENEGAS<br>Telephone: 202/393-3921<br>E-mail (optional): nora.venegas@tyson.com   |
| Senate ID #: 79255-12<br>House ID #: 36231000  |
| 7. Client Name: 🗵 Self   |
| TYPE OF REPORT   |
| 8. Year 2006 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 <b>OR</b> 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 th<br>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): <u>550,000.00</u>  |
| 14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.  |
| <ul> <li>Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</li> <li>Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</li> <li>Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</li> </ul> |

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

Avian Flu Eradication Animal Identification Programs BSE Control policies Animal Feed Policies Animal Waste/Superfund HR 4341, S 3681

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
U.S. House of Representatives FDA
U.S. Senate EPA
U.S. Department of Agriculture
White House
OMB
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: MENOTTI, TODD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OFFICIAL

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

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

OCS Bill, H.R. 4761, S 3711 Renewable Energy Tax Credits Renewable Diesel Tax Creidts

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Department of Interior USDA White House US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MENOTTI, TODD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OFFICIAL

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

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

Animal Waste and Superfund, H.R. 4341, S. 3681

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: U.S. House of Representatives U.S. Senate USDA White House US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MENOTTI, TODD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OFFICIAL

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

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15. General issue area code: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Ag Jobs Bill Immigration Reform, S. 1033

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: U.S. House of Representatives U.S. Senate U.S. Department of Homeland Security White House US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA Covered Official Position (if applicable): Name: VENEGAS, NORA Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

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

Biomass Energy Tax Credits Renewable Diesel Tax Credits Estate Tax R & D Tax Credit WOTC Tax Credit

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: U.S. House of Representatives U.S. Senate USDA White House US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MENOTTI, TODD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OFFICIAL

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

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

Beef exports to Asia, Mexico Cattle, beef imports from Canada Chicken exports to Asia, Russia, Mexico, Canada, Latin America

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: U.S. House of Representatives U.S. Senate White House USTR U.S. Department of State US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES US SENATE

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

Name: LILYGREN, SARA Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Sara Lilygren, Vice President-Federal Governmental -

#### Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

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

# 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: Aug 14, 2006

Printed Name and Title: SARA LILYGREN, VICE PRESIDENT-FEDERAL GOVERNMENTAL -