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LOBBYING REPORT

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

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 5033[b](8) of the Internal Revenue Code
Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

1. Registrant Name: TRUST FOR PUBLIC LAND 660 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, SE, #401, WASHINGTON, DC 20003 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): 4. Contact Name: ALAN FRONT Telephone: 2025437552 E-mail (optional): Alan.Front@tpl.org Senate ID #: 38574-12 House ID #: 30567000 7. Client Name: X Self TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2007 Midyear (January 1 - June 30): X 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 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: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 100,000.00 14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

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

HR 2543 FY2008 Interior Appropriations, Title I, all provisions relating to land conservation; Title II, EPA, all provisions relating to brownfields, clean water, and safe drinking water; Title III, Forest Service, all provisions relating to land conservation. HR 3161 FY2008 Agriculture Appropriations, Title II, land conservation programs. HR 3093 FY 2008 Science, State, Justice and Commerce Appropriations, Title II, all provisions related to NOAA/coastal conservation. HR 3078, FY2008 Transportation, Treasury, HUD, Judiciary, DC Appropriations, Title II, all provisions related to surface transportation and enhancements, Title III, all provisions related to Economic Development Initiative. HR 1585, FY2008 Defense Appropriations, all provisions relating to the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative. HR 2419 Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act of 2007. S1696 FY2008 Interior Appropriations, Title II, all provisions relating to land conservation; Title III, EPA, all provisions relating to brownfields, clean water, and safe drinking water; Title III, Forest Service, all provisions relating to land conservation. S1859 FY2008 Agriculture Appropriations, Title II, land conservation programs. S1745 FY2008 Science, State, Justice and Commerce Appropriations, Title II, all provisions relating to the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative. see additional page

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Defense, Dept of (DOD)
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Interior, Dept of (DOI)
Natl Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
Office of Management & Budget (OMB)
SENATE

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

Name: BATRA, SIMI
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DECOSTER, KATHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRONT, ALAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KANE-SZYNAL, LESLEY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: RUNNINGEN, MARSHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SADLER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

HR1585 National Defense Authorization Act for FY2008, the authorization levels for the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative. S 1547 National Defense Authorization Act for FY2008, the authorization levels for the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Defense, Dept of (DOD) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: BATRA, SIMI
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRONT, ALAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SADLER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

HR 2337, Energy Policy Reform and Revitalization Act of 2007, provisions related to carbon sequestration and funding for adaptation and mitigation. HR 2338, To establish the policy of the Federal Government to use all practicable means and measures to assist wildlife populations in adapting and surviving the effects of global warming, provisions related to carbon sequestration and funding for adaptation and mitigation. HR1495 To provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to construct various projects for improvements to rivers and harbors of the United States, and for other purposes. see additional page

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Army, Dept of (Corps of Engineers) Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: BATRA, SIMI
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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- 15. General issue area code: IND (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Quinalt Indian North Boundary Issue.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Agriculture, Dept of (USDA) Interior, Dept of (DOI) Justice, Dept of (DOJ)

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

Name: DECOSTER, KATHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRONT, ALAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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: NAT (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- HR 2662 Hardrock Mining and Reclamation Act of 2007, all provisions.
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: FRONT, ALAN Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: SADLER, TOM Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

S1131 Suburban and Community Forestry and Open Space Program Act, all provisions. Highlands Conservation Act implementation. HR2757 To amend the Acts popularly known as the Duck Stamp Act and the Wetland Loan Act to reauthorize appropriations to promote the conservation of migratory waterfowl, all provisions. S272 To amend Public Law 87-383 to reauthorize appropriations to promote conservation of migratory waterfowl and to offset or prevent the serious loss or important wetlands, all provisions. S 1641 Wetlands Loan Act of 2007, all provisions. HR 1907 Coastal and Estuarine Land Protection Act: all provisions for program reauthorization. S741 Working Waterfront Preservation Act of 2007, all provisions. S3636 Washington County Growth and Conservation Act of 2006, all provisions. S1142 Coastal and Estuarine Land Provision Act: All provisions for program reauthorization. S658 Endangered Species Reform Act of 2007. HR21 Oceans Conservation, Education, and National Strategy for the 21st Century Act, all provisions. S1224 National Ocean Protection Act of 2005, all provisions. see additional page

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ)
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Tax Code provisions regarding tax exempt organizations and conservation easement donations. S469 To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the special rule for contributions of qualified conservation contributions. HR1576 To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the special rule for contributions of qualified conservation contributions, see additional page

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SADLER, TOM Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 13, 2007

Printed Name and Title: KATHY DECOSTER DIRECTOR OF FEDERAL AFFAIRS -

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: Aug 13, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -