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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name The Ferguson Group, L.L.C.			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 1130 Connecticut Ave., NW Suite 300 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20036 U.S.			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Darrel Ricketts	Telephone (202)331-8500	E-mail (optional) dricketts@tfgnnet.com	5. Senate ID # 14451-327
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Family Farm Alliance			6. House ID #

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 align="center">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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$40,000.00</u> 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 align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input 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 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 _____

Date 8/14/00

Printed Name and Title Joseph Raeder - Principal



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7 Registrant Name: The Ferguson Group, L.L.C.

Client Name: Family Farm Alliance

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 BUD (one per page)

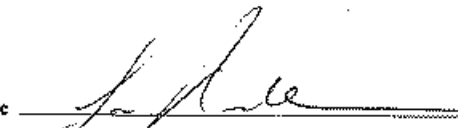
16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.4733, Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act, 2001,
Bureau of Reclamation funding

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)	New
<u>Gwinn, W. Roger</u>		<u>No</u>
<u>Raeder, Joseph</u>		<u>No</u>

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

Signature  Date 8/14/00

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues

H.R.3595, To increase the authorization of appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978, and for other purposes,
S.2410, To increase the authorization of appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978, and for other purposes,
Western water policy
Endangered Species Act-
Private property rights-
Reclamation law
Bureau of Reclamation programs and Policies

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

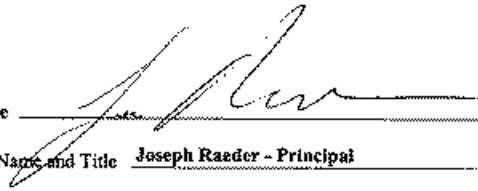
Bureau of Reclamation
Department of the Interior
House of Representatives
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Gwin, W. Roger		No
Raeder, Joseph		No

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