

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

TEACHERS INSURANCE & ANNUITY ASSN-COLLEGE RETIREMENT EQUITIES FUND (TIAA-CREF)

2. Address:

1101 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW, #800, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

City: NEW YORK State/Zip(or Country): NY 10017

4. Contact Name: DANIEL J. KENIRY

Telephone: 2026378925

E-mail (optional): dkeniry@tiaa-cref.org

Senate ID #: 55757-12

House ID #: 35166000

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 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: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 780,000.00

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.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 890/S 486 Student Loan Sunshine Act; HR 2669 College Cost Reduction Act; HR 4137 - College Opportunity and Affordability Act; S 1642 Higher Education Amendments; budget proposals regarding 529 college savings plans; Free Application for Federal Student Aid asset language pertaining to college savings accounts; HR 2272/S 761 America COMPETES Act

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

Commerce, Dept of (DDC)
Education, Dept of
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: ANDERSON, KATHRYN L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHAMBERS, BROOKE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE CORRESPONDENCE

Name: DILANDRO, SUE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KENIRY, DANIEL J.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MAURER, DANIELLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCANDREWS, DAMIEN M.

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: FIN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S 1430/HR 2347 To authorize State and local governments to direct divestment from, and prevent investment in, companies with investments of \$20,000,000 or more in Iran's energy sector; HR 180 To require the identification of companies that conduct business operations in Sudan, to prohibit United State Government contracts with such companies; 401(k) fee disclosure

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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Name: ANDERSON, KATHRYN L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CHAMBERS, BROOKE

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Name: DILANDRO, SUE

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Name: KENIRY, DANIEL J.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MAURER, DANIELLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCANDREWS, DAMIEN M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2761 Terrorism Risk Insurance & Extension Act of 2007; HR 3200/S 40 National Insurance Act of 2007

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Name: MAURER, DANIELLE

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2167/S 1141 Automatic IRA Act of 2007; HR 1419/S 819 Public Good IRA Rollover Act of 2007; S 1288 Womens Retirement Security Act of 2007; 403 (b) regulatory guidance (RIN 1545-BB64/REG-155608-02); Pension reform technical corrections; S 1010 - Retirement Security of Life Act of 2007; proposed revisions to Form 5500 (RIN 1210-AB06); Retiree healthcare issues; default investment alternatives (RIN 1210AB10); investment advice; international pension issues

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 878/S 601 - Simplification through additional Reporting Act; HR 2834 To amend the IRS Code of 1986 to treat income received by partners for performing investment management services as ordinary income received for the performance of services; S 681 - Stop Tax Haven Abuse Act; HR 2136 - Stop Tax Haven Abuse Act; HR 2419 - Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act of 2007;

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: DANIEL J. KENIRY, VICE PRESIDE -

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

Name: MAURER, DANIELLE

Name: MCANDREWS, DAMIEN M.

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: -