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# LOBBYING REPORT

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X 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

1. Registrant Name: **ASSURANT** 2. Address: 1101 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW SUITE 600, WASHINGTON, DC 20004 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): City: NEW YORK State/Zip(or Country): NY 10005 4. Contact Name: RONNY B. LANCASTER Telephone: 2027564589 E-mail (optional): RONNY.LANCASTER@ASSURANT.COM Senate ID #: 65737-12 House ID #: 7. Client Name: X Self TYPE OF REPORT \_\_ 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: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 1,000,000.00 14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

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

HR 298-FSA Rollover, HR 2132-Small Business Health Plans, S 46-Individual Premiums paid via HSA Account, HR 3234-HSA Expansion, S 334, HR 1200-Universal Health Coverage, HR 2761-TRIA, HR 1198-Reinsurance, S 400-Insurance Protections for College Students "Michelle's Law", S 558-Mental Health Parity, HR 46-Tax Breaks for Small Businesses, HR 227-Tax Breaks for Individual Coverage, S 1753-Employer Tax Credits for Wellness, HR 1820, S 1556-Health Plan Tax Equity, S 1848-TAA Health Coverage Improvement, HR 506-Small Group Health Care Reform, HR 976, HR 3162-SCHIP, HR 493, S 358-Genetic Nondiscrimination, S 927-Catastrophe Savings Accounts Act of 2007, S 930-Hurricane and Tornado Mitigation Investment Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, S 928-Homeowners Protection Act of 2007, S 926-Policyholder Disaster Protection Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, HR 921-Flood Insurance Community Outreach Grant Program Act of 2007, HR 922-National Flood Insurance Program Participation Evaluation Act of 2007, S 40, HR 3200-National Insurance Act of 2007, HR 1049-Amend Misinterpreted Excessive Regulation in Corporate America Act, HR 1065-Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2007, HR 1081, S 618-Insurance Industry Competition Act of 2007, HR 1685-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 220-Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2007, F 1958-Data Accountability and Trust Act, S 1178-Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2007, S 1202-Personal Data Protection Act of 2007, S 239-Notification of Risk to Personal Data Act of 2007, S 495-Personal Data Privacy and Security Act of 2007, S 806-Consumer ID Protection and Security Act, S 1260-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 3185-Pension Reform Covering Hybrid Plans, HR 22, S 662-Postal Reform, and Insurance Regulation Reform Legislation and regulations affecting insurance products including flood, terrorism, health insurance and HSA expansion, as well as tax issues. Other Lobbying activity include: HR 15-National Health Care Coverage, HR 676-Single Payer, HR 1368-Health

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS) Labor, Dept of (DOL) SENATE SENATE SENATE Social Security Administration (SSA) Treasury, Dept of White House Office

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

Name: CALL, LAUREL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HARPER, EDWIN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LANCASTER, RONNY
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 298-FSA Rollover, HR 2132-Small Business Health Plans, S 46-Individual Premiums paid via HSA Account, HR 3234-HSA Expansion, S 334, HR 1200-Universal Health Coverage, HR 2761-TRIA, HR 1198-Reinsurance, S 400-Insurance Protections for College Students "Michelle's Law", S 558-Mental Health Parity, HR 46-Tax Breaks for Small Businesses, HR 227-Tax Breaks for Individual Coverage, S 1753-Employer Tax Credits for Wellness, HR 1820, S 1556-Health Plan Tax Equity, S 1848-TAA Health Coverage Improvement, HR 506-Small Group Health Care Reform, HR 976, HR 3162-SCHIP, HR 493, S 358-Genetic Nondiscrimination, S 927-Catastrophe Savings Accounts Act of 2007, S 930-Hurricane and Tornado Mitigation Investment Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, S 928-Homeowners Protection Act of 2007, S 926-Policyholder Disaster Protection Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, HR 921-Flood Insurance Community Outreach Grant Program Act of 2007, HR 922-National Flood Insurance Program Participation Evaluation Act of 2007, HR 922-National Flood Insurance Program Participation Evaluation Act of 2007, HR 920-National Insurance Act of 2007, HR 1049-Amend Misinterpreted Excessive Regulation in Corporate America Act, HR 1065-Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2007, HR 1081, S 618-Insurance Industry Competition Act of 2007, HR 958-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 1685-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 1685-Data Accountability and Trust Act, S 1178-Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2007, S 1202-Personal Data Protection Act of 2007, S 239-Notification of Risk to Personal Data Act of 2007, S 495-Personal Data Privacy and Security Act of 2007, S 806-Consumer ID Protection and Security Act, S 1260-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 3185-Pension Reform Covering Hybrid Plans, HR 22, S 662-Postal Reform, and Insurance Regulation Reform Legislation and regulations affecting insurance products including flood, terrorism, health insurance and HSA expansion, as well as tax issues. Other Lobbying activity includes: HR 15-Natio

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LANCASTER, RONNY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Registrant Name: ASSURANT Client Name: Self

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HR 298-FSA Rollover, HR 2132-Small Business Health Plans, S 46-Individual Premiums paid via HSA Account, HR 3234-HSA Expansion, S 334, HR 1200-Universal Health Coverage, HR 2761-TRIA, HR 1198-Reinsurance, S 400-Insurance Protections for College Students "Michelle's Law", S 558-Mental Health Parity, HR 46-Tax Breaks for Small Businesses, HR 227-Tax Breaks for Individual Coverage, S 1753-Employer Tax Credits for Wellness, HR 1820, S 1556-Health Plan Tax Equity, S 1848-TAA Health Coverage Improvement, HR 506-Small Group Health Care Reform, HR 976, HR 3162-SCHIP, HR 493, S 358-Genetic Nondiscrimination, S 927-Catastrophe Savings Accounts Act of 2007, S 930-Hurricane and Tornado Mitigation Investment Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, S 928-Homeowners Protection Act of 2007, S 926-Policyholder Disaster Protection Act of 2007, HR 920-Multiple Peril Insurance Act of 2007, HR 921-Flood Insurance Community Outreach Grant Program Act of 2007, HR 922-National Flood Insurance Program Participation Evaluation Act of 2007, HR 922-National Flood Insurance Program Participation Evaluation Act of 2007, HR 920-National Insurance Act of 2007, HR 1049-Amend Misinterpreted Excessive Regulation in Corporate America Act, HR 1065-Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2007, HR 1081, S 618-Insurance Industry Competition Act of 2007, HR 958-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 1685-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 1685-Data Accountability and Trust Act, S 1178-Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2007, S 1202-Personal Data Protection Act of 2007, S 239-Notification of Risk to Personal Data Act of 2007, S 495-Personal Data Privacy and Security Act of 2007, S 806-Consumer ID Protection and Security Act, S 1260-Data Security Act of 2007, HR 3185-Pension Reform Covering Hybrid Plans, HR 22, S 662-Postal Reform, and Insurance Regulation Reform Legislation and regulations affecting insurance products including flood, terrorism, health insurance and HSA expansion, as well as tax issues. Other Lobbying activity includes: HR 15-Natio

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Treasury, Dept of
White House Office

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

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

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Fortis, NV (Fortis, B)\* Fortis SA/NV (Fortis, NL)\* \*Together these entities own 18.7% of Assurant, Inc.

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 10, 2007

Printed Name and Title: RONNY B LANCASTER SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT -

Registrant Name: ASSURANT Client Name: Self

### 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 10, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -