

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST

2. Address:

333 SEVENTH AVENUE 13th FLOOR, NEW YORK, NY 10001

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

City: New York State/Zip(or Country): NY 10001

4. Contact Name: CYNTHIA M. BURNS

Telephone: 2128455237

E-mail (optional): burnsc@humanrightsfirst.org

Senate ID #: 293494-12

House ID #:

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): 60,000.00

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

Registrant Name: HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST Client Name: Self

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: CIV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.2926: To amend titles 28 and 10, United States Code, to restore habeas corpus for individuals detained by the United States at Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and for other purposes H.R.2710: To repeal and modify certain provisions of law relating to the review of the detention of enemy combatants

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

Defense, Dept of (DOD)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Justice, Dept of (DOJ)
SENATE

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

Name: CHAFFEE, DEVON
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: COVER, AVIDAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LANIGAN, KEVIN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MASSIMINO, ELISA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Registrant Name: HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST Client Name: Self

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: FDR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Urged that members of Congress not pass the U.S.Colombia Trade Promotion Agreement unless there are verifiable improvements in human rights.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

State, Dept of (DOS)

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

Name: EASTON, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FROMHOLZ, JULIA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HUDSON, ANDREW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Registrant Name: HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST Client Name: Self

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: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.2764: Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2008, Section 691, a provision to remedy the "Material Support" provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Natl Security Council (NSC)

SENATE

State, Dept of (DOS)

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

Name: HUGHES, ANWEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: STAUNTON, JAY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: TEMPLETON, AMELIA

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: Feb 13, 2008

Printed Name and Title: CYNTHIA M. BURNS, DIRECTOR OF -

Registrant Name: HUMAN RIGHTS FIRST 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

Name: COVER, AVIDAN

Name: NASSAR, HABIB

Name: SHAMSI, HINA

Name: STAUNTON, JAY

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 13, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -