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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name: AKIN GUMP STRAUSS HAUER & FELD 1333 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVE., NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20036 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): 4. Contact Name: SMITH W. DAVIS Telephone: 2028874117 E-mail (optional): mstosik@akingump.com Senate ID #: 682-3173 House ID #: 31784255 7. Client Name: Self DOW CHEMICAL CO 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: X => Income (nearest \$20,000): 100,000.00 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); 14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

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

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

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

H.R. 5441, Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes; H.R. 5695, Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Act of 2006; S. 2145, Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Act of 2005

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: DAVIS. SMITH W
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FAIRCLOTH, LAUCH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GREEN, KAREN GOLDMEIER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HEIMBERG, GARY A
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HESSE, CHRISTINE F
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SKLADANY, BARNEY J. JR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WHITE, VALERIE
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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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

- 15. General issue area code: TOR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 852, Fairness in Asbestos Injury Resolution Act of 2005; S. 3274, Fairness in Asbestos Injury Resolution Act of 2006
- 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: DAVIS, SMITH W Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FAIRCLOTH, LAUCH Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FAZIO, VICTOR H Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: GREEN, KAREN GÖLDMEIER Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: HESSE, CHARLES Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: HESSE, CHRISTINE F Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: JANKOWSKY, JOEL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: ROSS, STEVEN R

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: SKLADANY, BARNEY J. JR Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: TUCKER, JAMES R JR Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: WHITE, VALERIE

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 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: SMITH W. DAVIS, PARTNER -