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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name: **AMERICAN FED OF TEACHERS** 555 NEW JERSEY AVENUE, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20001-2079 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): 4. Contact Name: NATHANIEL H. LACOUR Telephone: 2028794452 E-mail (optional): nlacour@aft.org Senate ID #: 2332-12 House ID #: 7. Client Name: X Self TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2007 Midyear (January 1 - June 30): X 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): 422,310.00 14. Reporting Method.

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

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 5033[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: BUD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. Con. Res. 21, Budget Conference Resolution; FY 2008 House and Senate Budget Resolutions; House and Senate FY 2008 Labor HHS Appropriations; HR 2669, the College Cost Reduction Act of 2007; H.J. Res. 20 Joint Funding Resolution; HR 1372/S 808, the Revitalizing New Orleans by Attracting America's Leaders Act of 2007 (RENEWALL); H.Con. Res. 112, the National Child Care Worthy Wage Day resolution; FY '08 Defense Authorization; H. Con. Res. 99, FY 2008 House Budget Resolution
- 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: BIRDSALL, CHERYL C.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LUCIANO, JENNIFER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: CIV (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S 1348, the Secure Borders, Economic Opportunity and Immigration Reform Act of 2007
- 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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FIGURES, DERRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LUCIANO, JENNIFER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: DEF (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- FY 2008 Defense Authorization
- 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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LUCIANO, JENNIFER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW

Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW 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: DOC (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

FY 2008 D.C. Appropriations

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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LUCIANO, JENNIFER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JAME
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: EDU (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 3221, the 2008 House Energy Bill; S 1642, the Higher Education Amendments Act; HR 2928/S 1185 the Graduation Promise Act; HR 2272/S 761, the America Competes Act HR 2390/S 873, the TEACH Act All bills relating to No Child Left Behind (NCLB); HR 5, the College Student Relief Act of 2007; HR 2663, the College Cost Reduction Act of 2007; All bills relating to the reauthorization of the Higher Education Act; HR 1429, the Improving Head Start Act of 2007; S 1107, the Start Improvements for School Readiness Act; S 1762, the Higher Education Access Act; S 757, the National Mathematics and Science Consistency Act; HR 354, the Safe SChools Against Violence in Education Act (SAVE);

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Education, Dept of HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

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

Name: BIRDSALL, CHERYL C.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FIGURES, DERRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LUCIAND, JENNIFER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- S. 1893, the State Children's Health Insurance (SCHIP) Reauthorization Act, and all other bills relating to; HR 1363/S 771, the Child Nutrition Promotion and School Lunch Protection Act of 2007; HR 3162, the Children's Health and Medical Protection Act; HR 4, the Medicare Prescription Drug Negotiation Act of 2007; S 242, the Pharmeceutical Market Access and Drug Safety Act
- 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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MORRISON, MATTHEW
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: LBR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 800/S 1041, the Employee Free Choice Act of 2007 (EFCA); HR 2, the Fair Minimum Wage Act of 2007

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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
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: MMM (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2065/S 250, the Medicare Savings Through Choice Act of 2007; Medicare Part D; S 3/H.R. 4, the Medicare Prescription Drug Negotiation Act of 2007; S. 242, the Pharmaceutical Market Access and Drug Safety Act

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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2470, America's Better Classrooms Act

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: COWAN, KRISTOR
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MERONEY, JANE
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: Aug 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: NATHANIEL H. LACOUR, SECRETARY-TREASURER -

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 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -