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LOBBYING REPORT

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

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| 1. Registrant Name National Grocers Association | | | |
| 2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1825 Samuel Morse Drive | | | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Reston State/City (or Country) Virginia 20190 | | | |
| 4. Contact Name Thomas F. Wenning | Telephone 703/437-5300 | E-mail (optional) | 5. Senate ID # 27924-12 |
| 7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self | | | 6. House ID # 33815000 |

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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 | |
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| <p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>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).</p> | <p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>20,000</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> |

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 Printed Name and Title Thomas F. Wenning, Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Registrant Name National Grocers Association Client Name Self

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15. General issue area code LBR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

OSHA Ergonomics & Reform: H.R. 987; S. 385
Minimum Wage: H.R. 325; S. 192
Bonus Incentives: H.R. 1381
Attorney Fee Recovery: H.R. 1987; S. 1158

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives and Senate

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

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

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15. General issue area code FOO (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Country of Origin Labeling: H.R.1144; H.R.1145; H.R.222; S.242
Dairy Compacts: H.R.1604; H.R.774
National Uniformity: H.R.2129; S.1155

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15. General issue area code TOB (one per page)

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Tobacco Settlement: H.R.610; S.356

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Electricity Deregulation:

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

Estate Taxes: H.R.8; H.R.86; H.R.2488; S.38; S.56

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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Managed Care/ERISA Preemption; H.R. 358; S.6

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

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 affiliated organization(s)

| Name | Address | Principal Place of Business (city and state or country) |
|------|---------|--|
| | | |

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

| Name | Address | Principal place of business (city and state or country) | Amount of contribution for lobbying activities | Ownership percentage in client |
|------|---------|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| | | | | |

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature Thomas F. Wenning Date February 11, 2009

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