

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAN APPAREL & FOOTWEAR ASSN

2. Address:

1601 N. KENT STREET, #1200, ARLINGTON, VA 22209

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

4. Contact Name: STEPHEN LAMAR

Telephone: 7035241864

E-mail (optional): slamar@apparelbandfootwear.org

Senate ID #: 1433-12

House ID #: 32183000

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): 435,749.00

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

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: APP (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

For the Period July 1 to December 31, 2007 Berry Amendment/Federal Prison Industries/Military Apparel Procurement Berry Amendment Extension Act (H.R. 917) Department of Homeland Security Secure American Federal Equipment Procurement Act-DHS SAFE Procurement Act (H.R. 1686) Department of Homeland Security Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 (H.R. 1684) National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 (H.R. 1585./ S. 1548) Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008 (H.R. 3093/S. 1745) Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2008 (H.R. 2638/S. 1644) Comments on Berry Amendment, Federal Prison Industries, and JWOD programs. FY 2008 Omnibus Appropriations Bill: Providing for the consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2764) making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes. (HRES 878) Miscellaneous Trade Affordable Footwear Act of 2007 (S. 2372/HR 3934) Implementing the 9/11 Commission Recommendations Act of 2007 (H.R. 1/S. 4) Fair Currency Act of 2007 (S. 796/H.R. 782) Currency Harmonization Initiative Through Neutralizing Action Act of 2005 (H.R. 321) Nonmarket Economy Trade Remedy Act of 2007 (HR 1229) To extend the authorities of the Andean Trade Preference Act until September 30, 2009. (H.R. 1830) United States-Peru Trade Promotion Agreement Implementation Act (HR 3688) Pending FTAs with Korea, Peru, and Colombia. Discussions on miscellaneous China and trade remedy concepts. Comments to ITC, Customs, USTR, and Commerce on implementation of various trade agreements and trade initiatives, such as performance outerwear, travel goods, Morocco, Andean, Peru, Colombia, Oman, Panama, Haiti, AGOA, CAFTA-DR, Thailand, Singapore, NAFTA, Jordan, Bahrain, Dominican Republic, the Free Trade Area of the Americas, Vietnam, Malaysia, and Korea and the operation of new bilateral agreement with respect to China. Comments to Commerce on China and trade remedy laws. Burma sanctions -- Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (H.J.RES.44) Block Burmese JADE Act of 2007 (HR 3890) Burma Democracy Promotion Act of 2007 (HR 3890) To extend and modify the temporary suspension of duty on certain men's footwear covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics. (H.R. 4731)/(HR 4732) Other "Design Piracy Prohibition Act (H.R. 2033/S 1957) "A bill to safeguard the economic health of the United States and the health and safety of the United States citizens by improving the management, coordination, and effectiveness of domestic and international intellectual property rights enforcement, and for other purposes (S. 522) "Discussion of WRAP program with various legislative branch and executive branch officials. "Comments to Department of Labor in conjunction with Child labor list and other labor initiatives. "Consumer Product Safety Modernization Act (HR 4040) "CPSC Reform Act of 2007 (S 2045) "Monitoring issues relating to apparel and footwear safety and product labeling. "Employee Free Choice Act of 2007 (H.R. 800/S. 1041) "Danny Keysar Child Product Safety Notification Act (H.R. 1699) "Lead Free Toys Act of 2007 (S. 1306) "Decent Working Conditions and Fair Competition Act (S. 367/HR 1992) See attached page

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

Commerce, Dept of (DOC)
Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)
Defense, Dept of (DOD)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Homeland Security, Dept of (DHS)
Justice, Dept of (DOJ)
Labor, Dept of (DOL)
SENATE
State, Dept of (DOS)
Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: BURKE, KEVIN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HERMAN, NATE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): FORMER GS-12 AT COMMERCE DEPT, ITA

Name: KURT, COURTNEY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): FORMER LA WITH REP ZACH WAMP

Name: LAMAR, STEPHEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: REBECCA, MOND

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: VAN DYKE, DAWN

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: AMERICAN APPAREL & FOOTWEAR ASSN Client Name: Self

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 04, 2008

Printed Name and Title: STEPHEN LAMAR, EXEC VP -

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: MASTERS, LINDSAY

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 04, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -