

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO

2. Address:

801 PENNSYLVANIA AVE #320, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

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

City: COLUMBUS State/Zip(or Country): OH 43215

4. Contact Name: ANTHONY KAVANAGH

Telephone: 2026281645

E-mail (optional): apkavanagh@aep.com

Senate ID #: 2252-12

House ID #: 30463000

7. Client Name: Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 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): 280,000.00

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H. R. 5427 Energy & Water Appropriations, H.R. 5522 Foreign Operations Appropriations - in favor of appropriations for Asia- Pacific Partnership S. 728, H.R. 2864 Water Resources Development Act of 2006, Energy & Water Appropriations -in favor of funding for waterways projects -- lock and dams modernization, upgrades and maintenance

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: CAMPBELL, SABRINA V.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HARTSOE, JOSEPH

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL

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: CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

5. 1156 Climate Stewardship & Innovation Act of 2005 (McCain & Lieberman) - against mandatory greenhouse gas control Bingaman bill on climate change (not introduced)

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: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCBROOM, MARTIN

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: ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Nuclear Waste Disposal: S. 3962 Nuclear Fuel Management & Disposal Act, for and against various provisions S. 2348 Nuclear Release Notice Act of 2006, for and against various provisions H.R. 5427 Energy & Water Appropriations, H.J. Res. 97, funding for Yucca Mountain

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: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Railroad rate and other reforms including removal of antitrust exemptions, and reform of the Surface Transportation Board. H.R. 2047: The Railroad Competition Improvement and Reauthorization Act of 2005 S. 919: Railroad Competition Act of 2005 H.R. 3318: The Railroad Antitrust and Competition Act of 2005 S. 3612: The Railroad Antitrust Enforcement 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: HARTSOE, JOSEPH

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL

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. 6111, Tax Relief and Health Care Act of 2006 - Production Tax Credit for Wind Energy, Extension of the R&D Tax credit IGCC tax credits, tax normalization for accumulated deferred income taxes

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

SENATE

Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: CAMPBELL, SABRINA V.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

BP West Coast Tax litigation, Partnership taxation, Incentive rates for transmission investments, backstop siting authority and SPP rate issues. S. 2686, H.R. 5252 Broadband Investment and Consumer Choice Act Issue: pole attachments Against any language requiring utilities to provide access to poles by internet broadband providers without just compensation to the utility, or without taking into account safety issues

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

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SENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitoring FERC orders for issues of interest to AEP

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)

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

Name: CAMPBELL, SABRINA V.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HARTSOE, JOSEPH
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: WAS (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Solid waste landfills in Ohio - attempting to change a provision in the Energy and Water Appropriations bill that inadvertently prohibit AEP from building a landfill adjacent to power plant to hold scrubber waste material (no legislation was introduced)

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

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

Name: KAVANAGH, ANTHONY PAUL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCBROOM, MARTIN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 12, 2007

Printed Name and Title: ANTHONY P KAVANAGH, VICE PRESIDENT, GOVERNMENT AFF -