

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

RENEWABLE FUELS ASSOCIATION

2. Address:

1 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, NW SUITE 820, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

Country: City: State/Zip(or Country):

4. Contact Name: KAYT WAHLERT

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E-mail (optional): kwahlert@ethanolrfa.org

Senate ID #: 33055-12

House ID #: 30412000

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): 40,000.00

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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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: ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 5386 Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes. H.R. 5427 Making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes. H.R. 5254 To set schedules for the consideration of permits for refineries. H.R. 5253 To prohibit price gouging in the sale of gasoline, diesel fuel, crude oil, and (continued)(H.R. 5253 continued) home heating oil, and for other purposes. H.R. 4673 To require that an increasing percentage of new automobiles be dual fueled automobiles, to revise the method for calculating corporate average fuel economy for such vehicles, and for other purposes. H.R. 4409 To promote the national security and stability of the United States economy by reducing the dependence of the United States on foreign oil through the use of alternative fuels and new vehicle technologies, and for other purposes.

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

US House of Representatives, US Senate, US Department of Energy, US Environmental Protection Agency, US Department of Agriculture

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

Name: DINNEEN, ROBERT M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SCHAFER, LARRY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1994. A bill to require that an increasing percentage of new automobiles be dual fueled automobiles, to revise the method for calculating corporate average fuel economy for such vehicles, and for other purposes.

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

US House of Representatives, US Senate, US Department of Energy, US Department of Agriculture,
US Environmental Protection Agency

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

Name: DINNEEN, ROBERT M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SCHAFER, LARRY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 2763 Schumer, NY A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on ethanol. S. 2760 Feinstein, CA A bill to suspend the duty on imports of ethanol, and for other purposes. S. 2614 Thune, SD A bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to establish a program to provide reimbursement for the installation of alternative energy refueling systems. S. 2571 Conrad, ND A bill to promote energy production and conservation, and for other purposes. S. 2401 Grassley, IA A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain (continued)(S.2401 continued) energy tax incentives, and for other purposes. S. 2025 Bayh, IN A bill to promote the national security and stability of the United States economy by reducing the dependence of the United States on oil through the use of alternative fuels and new technology, and for other purposes. H.R. 5650 Hulse, MD To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent certain tax incentives for ethanol and biodiesel used as a fuel. H.R. 5431 Boswell, IA To amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to extend the tariff duties on ethanol. H.R. 5261 Bradley, NH To remove the permanent tariff and the temporary duty on ethanol. H.R. 5208 Nussle, IA To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent certain tax incentives for alternative energy, to amend the Clean Air Act to accelerate the use of renewable fuels, and for other purposes. H.R. 5170 Shadegg, AZ To suspend temporarily the duty on ethanol.

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

US House of Representatives, US Senate, US Department of Energy, US Department of the Treasury,
US Department of Agriculture

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

Name: DINNEEN, ROBERT M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SCHAFER, LARRY

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.2846 To ensure the continuation and improvement of coastal restoration. S.728 A bill to provide for the consideration and development of water and related resources, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to construct various projects for improvements to rivers and harbors of the United States, and for other purposes.

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

US House of Representatives

US Senate

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Bob Dinneen, President -