

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC**

2. Address:

101 CONSTITUTION AVE., NW SUITE 1000 EAST, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

City: NEW YORK State/Zip(or Country): NY 10004

4. Contact Name: ANN COSTELLO

Telephone: 2026373700

E-mail (optional): ann.costello@gs.com

Senate ID #: 313976-12

House ID #:

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): 1,340,000.00

### 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

Registrant Name: GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC Client Name: Self

**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: BAN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 3012, Fair Mortgage Practices Act, all sections; S. 1299, Borrower's Protection Act of 2007, all sections.

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: COSTELLO, ANN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DOSWELL, W. CARTER

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: CPT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1145, Patent Reform Act of 2007, all sections; H.R. 1908, Patent Reform Act of 2007, all sections.

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: DOSWELL, W. CARTER

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: GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC Client Name: Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 357, Ten-in-Ten Fuel Economy Act, all sections; S. 193, Energy Diplomacy and Security Act of 2007, all sections. H.R. 3221, New Direction for Energy Independence, National Security, and Consumer Protection Act, all sections; S. 1419, Renewable Fuels, Consumer Protection, and Energy Efficiency Act of 2007, all sections; S. 1321 Energy Savings Act of 2007, all sections; S. 992, Public Buildings Cost Reduction Act of 2007, all sections;

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

Energy, Dept of  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: COSTELLO, ANN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PATTERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: THOMAS, MARTI

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: FIN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Commodity Exchange Act reauthorization; Public Private Partnerships; Infrastructure Financing; H.R. 698, Industrial Bank Holding Company Act of 2007, all sections; S. 577, Oil and Gas Traders Oversight Act of 2007, all sections; H.R. 594, Prevent Unfair Manipulation of Prices Act of 2007, all sections; H.R. 1257, Shareholder Vote on Executive Compensation Act, all sections; Soft Dollars and Section 28(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934;

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: COSTELLO, ANN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DOSWELL, W. CARTER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PATTERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: THOMAS, MARTI

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: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1348, The Comprehensive Immigration Reform Act of 2007, section 522 regarding H-1B visa holders.

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

SENATE

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

Name: PATTERSON, MARK

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: RET (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Pension issues.

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: COSTELLO, ANN

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: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2776, Renewable Energy and Energy Conservation Tax Act of 2007, all sections; S. 1370, Clean Energy Investment Assurance Act of 2007, all sections; S. 940, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently extend the subpart F exemption for active financing income, all sections; Section 355(e) of the Internal Revenue Code; MLP tax treatment for wind power.

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: COSTELLO, ANN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PATTERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: THOMAS, MARTI

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: TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Investment protection in trade agreements; S. 1677, Currency Reform and Financial Markets Access Act of 2007, all sections; S. 1607, Currency Exchange Rate Oversight Reform Act of 2007, all sections; S. 1610, Foreign Investment and National Security Act of 2007, all sections; H.R. 556, Foreign Investment and National Security Act of 2007, all sections.

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: SHIRZAD, FARYAR

Covered Official Position (if applicable): DEP. NAT'L SECURITY ADV. FOR INT'L ECON. AFFAIRS

Name: THOMAS, MARTI

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 13, 2007

Printed Name and Title: ANN S. COSTELLO, MANAGING DIRECTOR -

**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 13, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -