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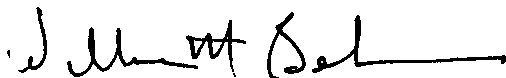
Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

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| 1. Registrant Name Deere & Company | | | |
| 2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported One John Deere Place | | | |
| 3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Moline IL 61265 City: State/zip (or Country) | | | |
| 4. Contact Name William M. Behan | Telephone (202) 223-4817 | E-mail (optional) behanwilliamm@johndeere.com | 5. Senate ID # 11878-12 |
| 7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Self | | | 6. House ID # 30541000 |

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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 **INCOME OR EXPENSES** Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

| 12. Lobbying Firms | 13. Organizations |
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| INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was: | EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were: |
| Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> | Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇌ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000) | \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇌ \$ <u>360,000</u> Expenses (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). | 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting method. See instructions for description of options. |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(e) Internal Revenue Code |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code |

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Date

08-13-03

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Printed Name and Title

William M. Behan, Vice President Washington Aff

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which th engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each co information as requested. Attach additional pages(s) as needed.**

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 758 – Business Checking Freedom Act

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

US House of Representatives
US Senate

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|------------------|---|
| William M. Behan | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature William M. Behan Date 08-13-03

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 975 - Bankruptcy Reform Act

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
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| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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Signature William A. Rauber Date 08-13-03

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

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| HR 2754 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Energy and Water (Renewable Fuels) |
| HR 2691 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Interior (Off-Highway R&D) |
| S 1424 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Energy and Water (Renewable Fuels) |
| S 1391 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Interior (Off-Highway R&D) |
| HR 2800 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Foreign Operations (Funding for Export-Import Bank, OPIC...) |
| HR 2673/S 1427 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Agriculture (Food Security Research, Value-Added, BioEnergy) and Ag Innovation, COOL |
| HR 2555 – Appropriations Bill FY04 Homeland Security (Food Security Research) |

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

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| U.S. House of Representatives |
| U.S. Senate |
| U.S. Department of Agriculture |
| U.S. Department of Energy |
| U.S. Food and Drug Administration |

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
|---------------------|---|
| William M. Behan | |
| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
| Jason A. Francque | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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15. General issue area code CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Renewable Fuels Standard
S 14 – Energy Policy Act of 2003 (Renewable Fuels Standard, Forest Biomass Incentives, Green School Bus Program)
HR 999/S 485 – Clear Skies Act
HR 1950 – Foreign Relations Authorization (Kyoto Protocol)

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Energy

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
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| Jason A. Francque | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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15. General issue area code DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR2658 Defense Appropriations (M-Gator product and TACOM M-Gator project)
S 1382 Defense Appropriations (M-Gator product and TACOM M-Gator project)

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

U.S. House of Representatives
US. Senate

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

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| William M. Behan | |
| Jason A. Francque | |
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15. General issue area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1904 - Healthy Forest Restoration Act
HR 6/S 14 - Energy Policy Act
S 139 - Climate Stewardship Act

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Forest Service
U.S. Department of Interior

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

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| Jason A. Francque | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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15. General issue area code FIN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2622 – Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act
 S 660 – Economic Opportunity Protection Act
 HR 1375 – Financial Services Regulatory Relief Act (ILC provisions)
 HR 1887 – Consumer Fairness Act

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

U.S. House of Representatives
 U.S. Senate
 Federal Trade Commission
 Treasury

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

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| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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Signature William M. DeHann Date 08-13-03

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

The Bioterrorism Preparedness Act of 2002 - P.L. 107-188
S.1202 - Meat and Poultry Products Traceability and Safety Act
HR 1496 - Consumer Food Safety Act
HR 2270 - Farm Commodity Fair Labeling Act

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Agriculture
U.S. Food and Drug Administration

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

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| William M. Behan | |
| Jason A. Francque | |
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15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2351 – Health Savings Account Availability Act
HR 660/H Res 283, S 545 – Small Business Health Fairness Act
HR 1562 – Veterans Health Care Cost Recovery
HR 2096/S 1335 – Long-Term Care and Retirement Security Act
S 1053 – Genetic Nondiscrimination
HR 953/S 486 – Mental Health Parity
HR 596/HR 597 – Patients’ Bill of Rights

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

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| Cynthia Sandherr | |
| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
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Signature *William A. Rauber* Date 08-13-03

Printed Name and Title William M. BEHAN VICE PRESIDENT WASHINGTON /

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1776 – Pension Preservation and Savings Expansion Act

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

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| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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Signature William A. Sol Date 08-13-03

Printed Name and Title WILLIAM M. DEWITT, THE HUSBAND INSURANCE CO.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1/S 1 – Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act
HR 2427 – Drug Reimportation
HR 1622 – Quality Cancer Care Preservation Act
HR 1743 – Iowa Medicare PPO Demonstration Act
HR 2 – Economic Stimulus (Medicaid Funding)

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
White House
U.S. Department of Health & Human Services/Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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

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|---------------------|---|
| William M. Behan | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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15. General issue area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2 – Jobs and Growth Tax Relief International Tax Simplification Reconciliation Act (Bonus Depreciation)
HR 1769 – Job Protection Act of 2003
HR 6,5.14 – Energy Policy Act (Renewables)
S 1263 – Rural Economic Investment Act
HR 22, Section 1031 – Individual and Small Business Tax Simplification Act (Rollover)
HR 1177/S 1450 – Flexible Spending Account Carry Forward
HR 2596 – Uninsured Tax Free Accounts

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Department of Agriculture
U.S. Department of Energy

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

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| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
| William M. Behan | |
| Charles Stamp, Jr. | |
| Cynthia Sandherr | |
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15. General issue area code TEC (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

FCC Rules Regarding Ultra-Wideband Transmission (NUF-200SGT-0702)
HR 2312 - ORBIT Technical Corrections Act

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

U.S. Senate
Federal Communications Commission
U.S. House of Representatives

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

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| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
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Signature William A. Rauber Date 08-13-03

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 1125 – Fairness in Asbestos Injury Resolution Act of 2003
S 274/HR 1115 – Class Action Fairness Act of 2003

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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| John W. Rauber, Jr. | |
| William M. Behan | |
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Signature William M. Behan Date 08-13-03

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S 671/HR1047 – Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act (Sec.1702)
US –Australia Free Trade Agreement
Free Trade Area of the Americas Agreement
WTO Doha Development Round Negotiations

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

U.S. House of Representative
U.S. Senate
U.S. Trade Representative
U.S. Department of Commerce

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Signature

William M. Behan

Date

08-13-03

Printed Name and Title WILLIAM M. DEAN, VICE PRESIDENT, WILSON

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Registrant Name Deere & Company Client Name Self

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

LAW _____

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

| Name | Address | Principal Place of Bu (city and state or cot |
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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 |
|------|---------|--|---|
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28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, affiliated organization

Signature William A. Bel Date 08-13-03

Printed Name and Title MICHAEL M. DEWITT, VICE PRESIDENT, INVESTMENT

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