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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Individual			
Praxair, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address1 39 Old Ridgebury Road, M1-523		Address2	
City Danbury	State CT	Zip Code 06810	Country
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City		State	Zip Code Country
4a. Contact Name	b. Telephone Number	c. E-mail	5. Senate ID
Ms. Valerie K. King	<input type="checkbox"/> International Number (203) 837-2037	valerie_king@praxair.com	32032-12
7. Client Name	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self		6. House ID
Praxair, Inc.			31473001

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1-June 30) 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

<p>12. Lobbying</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ _____</p> <p>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).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>115,000.00</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Revenue Code</p>
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Signature Digitally Signed By: Valerie K King Date 01/05/07

US, DST ACES Business Representative, ACES TrustID Business Certificate, Valerie K King

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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

Energy/Nuclear

 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- 1) Lobbied to open Outer Continental Shelf for natural gas drilling.
- 2) Lobbied to increase and specify FUSRAP funding for the former Linde / Air Products Site.

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

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

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
First	Last	Suffix	
Valerie	King		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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15. General issue area code HCR Health Issues (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Lobbied against the transfer of ownership provision in the Federal Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 and against further cuts for oxygen rentals.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies [] Check if None [x] House [x] Senate []

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

Table with 4 columns: First, Last, Suffix, Covered Official Position (if applicable). Row 1: Valerie, King, [], []

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above [x] Check if None

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Registrant Praxair, Inc.

Client Name Praxair, Inc.

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15. General issue area code TAX Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Lobbied for the extension of the Research and Development Tax Credit.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies [] Check if None [x] House [x] Senate []

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

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
First	Last	Suffix	
Valerie	King		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above [x] Check if None

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Registrant Praxair, Inc.

Client Name Praxair, Inc.

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address City State Zip Code Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City State Zip Code Country

22. New General description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expect to act as a lobbyist for the client

Table with columns: First Name, Last Name, Suffix, and a numbered box (3, 4). Row 1: Jim Rouse. Row 2: (empty).

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issue that no longer pertain

Series of empty rectangular boxes for listing issues.

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Table with columns: Name, Address (Street Address, City, State/Province, Zip, Country), and Principal Place of Bus (City, State, Country).

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

Table with a numbered box (1) and a box (2) containing the number 3.

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Table with columns: Name, Address (Street Address, City, State/Province, Country), Principal place of business (City, State, Country), and Amount of contribution for lobbying activities.

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated org

Table with numbered boxes (1, 2) and (3, 4, 5, 6).

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