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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name			
Organization	Vern F. Highley		
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported			
Address 1	1687 E. Castlebrook Dr.		
City	Fresno	State	CA
		Zip Code	93720
		Country	US
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
City	State	Zip Code	Country
		State/Zip or Country	
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail
Prefix	Full Name		
Mr.	Vern F. Highley	559.434.1775	vernhighley@comcast.net
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self		5. Senate ID #	
National Watermelon Assn.		182277	
		6. House ID #	
		3116400C	

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)

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 Act

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>10,000</u>	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____
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 expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions or
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code

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Printed Name and Title Vern F. Highley, Agricultural Consultant 8/1

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Registrant Name Vern F. Highley Client Name National Watermelon

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

15. General issue area code AGR - Agriculture (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Minor use chemicals, methyl bromide, Food Safety, Ag Labor, Transportation, Ag Research

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

House, Senate, USDA, DOT, EPA

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

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Vern	Highley		

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

Vern F. Highley

Printed Name and Title Vern F. Highley, Agricultural Consultant

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