

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**NATL CORN GROWERS ASSN**

2. Address:

122 C STREET, NW, SUITE 510, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

4. Contact Name: JON DOGGETT

Telephone: 2026287001

E-mail (optional): doggett@dc.ncga.com

Senate ID #: 27558-12

House ID #: 30598000

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): 260,000.00

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.1551 Healthy Farms, Foods & Fuels Act of 2007 H.R.2720 H.Amendment 700 H.R.1398 Amending CERCLA H.R.2207 Agricultural Disaster Assistance & Western States Emergency Unfinished Business H.R.2720 Farm 21 Act of 2007 H.R.2421 Opposition to Clean Water Restoration Act of 2007 S1872 Farm Safety Net Improvement Act S.3681 Agriculture Protection & Prosperity Act of 2006 FY2008 Agriculture Appropriations Bill S.284 Emergency Farm Relief Act of 2007 S.622 Competitive & Fair Agricultural Markets Act of 2007 S.807 Amending CERCLA Congressional Issues: EPA Spray Drift Proposal FIFRA/ESA/Pesticides & the Endangered Species Act Aflatoxin Research Farm Bill Conservation Programs House & Senate FY 2008 Appropriations Bills FIFRA & the Clean Water Act Agriculture Transportation Multilateral Trade Negotiations Biotechnology (Domestic & International Acceptance) Free Trade Agreements Animal Ag Waste/CERCLA/Superfund Laws Revenue Based Farm Support Program Options for 2007 Farm Bill Commodity Title Agriculture Disaster Assistance Federal Crop Insurance Coverage - Spring Pulse Releases on Missouri River USDA FY 2008 Budget Proposal Clean Water Act Regulatory Jurisdiction & Congressional Intent Biofuels Infrastructure Energy Tax Incentives Climate Change Biofuels Research & Development Biotechnology Issues: Aflatoxin Research, Farm Loans, Biotechnology & APHIS Approvals, Federal Pre-emption of Biotechnology Executive Branch: 1)New Product Development-Multi-year Crop Loss Coverage Implementation of the Food quality Protection Act EPA Spray Drift Proposal Specific Pesticide Registration & Re-registration Comments USDA Research Programs Farm Bill Conservation Programs Rural Development Producer Value-Added Grant Program Revenue Based Farm Support Program Options for 2007 Farm Bill & WTO Compliance EPA Coarse PM Standard/CAA Animal Ag Waste/CERCLA Superfund Laws FIFRA & the Clean Water Act Implementation of Section 9002, Farm Bill of 2002-Federal Biobased Products Preferred Procurement & USDA Certified Biobased Product Voluntary Label Program SPCC Rulemaking at EPA Early Food Safety Assessments CAFQ Rule Extension Biobased Procurement Program EPA Climate Mitigation Adventitious Presence Biotechnology (Domestic & International Acceptance) Biosafety Protocol Agriculture Transportation Federal Crop Insurance Corporation Proposed Rule: To Combine Revenue and Yield Protection within one into Basic Provisions and Applicable Crop Provisions, and Revisions to Prevent Planting Provisions Corps of Engineers Spring Pulse Releases on Missouri River USDA Draft National Avian Influenza (AI) Response Plan Foreign Market Development Marketing Assistance Program Administration Clean Water Act Regulatory Jurisdiction Hypoxia Wetlands Determination Biotechnology Coordinating Interagency Position PIP ANPR Coordinated Framework Biotechnology & Trade Issues H.R.2646 Farm Security & Rural Investment Act of 2002-Implementation & Review H.R. 2419, Farm, Nutrition, Bioenergy Act

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC)  
Energy, Dept of  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)  
SENATE  
U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: KELLEY, LISA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: MURRAY, DANITA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: OLSON, EMILY  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: WILLETT, CHARLES  
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: NATL CORN GROWERS ASSN Client Name: Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Commerce, Justice, Science FY07-Corn Genome, 2007 Farm Bill, Mississippi River, Missouri River, Inland Waterways Trust Fund & DOE Biomass R&D, Interior Appropriations for FY/08 Agriculture Appropriations for FY 2008, Research, Corn Genome, Crop Insurance, Foreign Market Development Market Assistance Program, USDA APHIS BRS Funding Energy & Water Appropriations

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Army, Dept of (Corps of Engineers)  
Energy, Dept of  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Nat'l Science Foundation (NSF)  
SENATE

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KELLEY, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MURRAY, DANITA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: OLSON, EMILY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WILLETT, CHARLES

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: CAW/ (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Congressional Issues: Climate Change Clean Air Act Fine/Coarse Particulate Matter Wetlands Hypoxia Animal Ag Waste/Superfund Laws Clean Water Act, NPDES, CAFDs, Regulatory & Congressional Intent, TMDLs CRP/Buffer Strips Climate Change - Agricultural Sequestration Low Carbon Fuel Standards Ethanol Emission Standards Executive Branch: Climate Change Fine Clean Air Act Fine/Coarse Particulate Matter Wetlands Hypoxia Clean Water Act, NPDES, CAFDs, TMDLs, Regulatory Reach/Rapanos Guidance SPCC Rulemaking Farm Bill Conservation Programs EPA Spray Drift Policy Specific Pesticide Registration & Re-registration Issues

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: KELLEY, LISA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: OLSON, EMILY  
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: F00 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.2918 Genetically Engineered Crops & Animal Farmer Protection Act of 2003 H.R.2919 Genetically Engineered Organism Liability Act of 2003 H.R.2921 To Prohibit the Open-Air Cultivation of Genetically Engineered Pharmaceuticals & Industrial Crops H.R.4693 Seed Availability & Competition Act of 2004

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Homeland Security, Dept of (DHS)

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

Name: MURRAY, DANITA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WILLETT, CHARLES

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: FUE (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 2025 Vehicle & Fuel Choices for American Security Act H.R. 4357 10 by 10 Act S. 1994 Fuel Security & Consumer Choice Act H.R. 3893 The Gasoline for America's Security (GAS) Act of 2005 H.R. 4573 To increase the renewable fuel content of gasoline sold in the United States by the year 2025 to 25 billion gallons, to require Federal agencies to use ethanol and biodiesel in government vehicles, and for other purposes H.R. 1815 Authorization Bill FY 2006, Defense H.R. 4241 Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 H.R. 3918 Outer Continental Shelf Energy Relief Act H.R. 604, E-85 Investment Act S. 918 E-85 Fuel Utilization & Infrastructure Development Incentives Act of 2005 S. 1920 Renewable Diesel Standard Act of 2005 S. 317, Electric Utility Cap and Trade Act of 2007 H.R. 3221 New Direction for Energy Independence, National Security & Consumer Protection S. 149 Renewable Fuels Consumer Protection & Energy Efficiency Act H.R. 2419 Farm, Nutrition & Bioenergy Act Congressional Issues: Ethanol Excise Tax Exemption Ethanol Import Tariff E-85 Reformulated Gasoline Renewable Fuels Standard Natural Gas Renewable Fuels Infrastructure Ethanol Emissions Executive Branch Actions: Ethanol Excise Tax Exemption E-85 Reformulated Gasoline Renewable Fuels Standard Natural Gas RFS Implementation Ethanol Import Tariff EPA Environmental Regulations H.R. 4409 Fuel Choices for American Security Act of 2005 H.R. 4318 The Outer Continental Shelf Natural Gas Relief Act of 2005

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Energy, Dept of  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: OLSON, EMILY

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: ROD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Highway User Trust Funds Volumetric Ethanol Excise Tax Ethanol Tax Incentives Renewable Fuels Infrastructure Tax Incentives  
Carbon Trading DOT Hours of Service Rules Congressional Issues: Fuels Taxes

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Energy, Dept of  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE  
Transportation, Dept of (DOT)  
Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: KELLEY, LISA  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: OLSON, EMILY  
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: RRR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Congressional Issues: Railroad Mergers Rail Service Executive Branch Actions: Rail Service DM&E - FRA Loan Application  
Infrastructure Investment STB Small Rail Rate Cases Rail Car Safety Anhydrous Ammonia Transportation Biofuels Transportation

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE  
Surface Transportation Board (STB)  
Transportation, Dept of (DOT)

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: KELLEY, LISA  
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.465 To Amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to Allow Allocation of Small Ethanol Producer H.R.2776 Renewable Energy & Energy Conservation Tax Act Credit to Patrons of a Cooperative, and for Other Purposes S.240 To Amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to Allow Allocation of Small Ethanol Producer Credit to Patrons of Cooperative, and for Other Purposes Congressional Issues: Ethanol Excise Tax Exemption Estate Tax Repeal Small Producer Tax Credit Executive Branch Actions: Ethanol Excise Tax Exemption Estate Tax Repeal

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Energy, Dept of  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE  
Treasury, Dept of

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KELLEY, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MURRAY, DANITA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: OLSON, EMILY

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: TRA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Congressional Issues: Transportation & International Competitiveness Water Resources Development Act Locks & Dams on Upper Mississippi & Illinois Rivers Water Flow Management Inland Waterways Trust Funds Missouri River Executive Branch Actions: Transportation & International Competitiveness Upper Mississippi & Illinois Rivers Missouri River

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Army, Dept of (Corps of Engineers)  
Executive Office of the President (EOP)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Interior, Dept of (DOI)  
SENATE

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: KELLEY, LISA  
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:

Korea FTA Panama FTA WTO DOHA Round of Negotiations Congressional Issues: Trade in Products of Biotechnology World Trade Organization Doha Round of Negotiations Biosafety Protocol Bilateral Free Trade Agreements Free Trade Agreements Trade Promotion Authority MAP/FMD GSM-102 Cuba Policies Food Aid 2007 Farm Bill Executive Branch Actions: Biosafety Protocol European Union Approval of Genetically Enhanced Corn European Union Biotech Regulations Fructose Exports to Mexico World Trade Organization Adventitious Presence Brazilian Ethanol Imports U.S. Trade Representatives - Agriculture Market Access & Domestic Support Proposal - WTO Doha Round USDA & USTR Farm Bill Issues USDA & USTR - EU Biotech Moratorium Case Cuba Policies Food Aid 2007 Farm Bill Peru FTA Colombia FTA

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

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

Name: DOGGETT, JON

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MURRAY, DANITA

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 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: JON DOGGETT, VICE PRESIDENT, PUBLIC POLICY -

**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 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -