

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAN INST OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

2. Address:

1455 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW #400, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

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

City: JERSEY CITY State/Zip(or Country): NJ 07311

4. Contact Name: VICTORIA M. SIMMONS

Telephone: 202-434-9223

E-mail (optional): vsimmons@aicpa.org

Senate ID #: 2640-12

House ID #: 30772000

7. Client Name: Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2005 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): 1,499,734.00

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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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:

HR 913, HR 1416, HR 1641, HR 1657, HR 2061, HR 2387, HR 3505, HR 3997, HR 4127, S 190, S 256

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: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

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: EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2123, S 1107

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: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

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

Registrant Name: AMERICAN INST OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS Client Name: Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 3505, HR 2387, HR 3997, HR 4127

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: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

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

Registrant Name: AMERICAN INST OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS Client Name: Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 525, HR 2203, S 406

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: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

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: LAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 4019

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: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

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:

HR 1508, HR 525, HR 2831, HR 2830, HR 4019, S 219, S 1783

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: CLARK, JAMES

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DINACKUS, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FERGUSON, CAROL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: GOLDSTEIN, BENSON

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HYMAN, MARC

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KARL, EDWARD

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MACKAY, IAN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MENKING, BONNER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: O'MALLEY, JAMES A.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: OCHSENSCHLAGER, TOM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

Name: PETERSON, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT

Name: SCHUMACHER-BARR, ANNETTE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SHERR, EILEEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: STROMSEN, WILLIAM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WHITE, GEORGE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WINTON, 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:

HR 196, HR 339, HR 809, HR 1234, HR 1500, HR 1684, HR 2121, HR 4006, HR 4297, S 7, S 78, S 758, S 849, S 1624, S 1565, S 1568, S 1685, S 1780, S 1789, S 1932, S 2020

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

General Accounting Office (GAO)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Internal Revenue Service (IRS)
SENATE

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

Name: CLARK, JAMES
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DINACKUS, LISA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FERGUSON, CAROL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GOLDSTEIN, BENSON
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: HYMAN, MARC
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KARL, EDWARD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KRAVITZ, PETER M.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MENKING, BONNER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: O'MALLEY, JAMES A.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: OCHSENSCHLAGER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT
Name: PETERSON, MARK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): VICE PRESIDENT
Name: SHERR, EILEEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: STROMSEN, WILLIAM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WHITE, GEORGE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WINTON, LISA
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: Feb 16, 2006

Printed Name and Title: MARK G. PETERSON - VICE PRESIDENT, CONGRESSIONAL & POLITICAL AFFAIRS