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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Progress Energy Company			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported PO Box 1551			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Raleigh NC 27602 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name John R. McArthur	Telephone (919) 546-4070	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Self			6. House ID #

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

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</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 type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</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>EXPENSES 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>845,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate reporting accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(c) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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15. General issue area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

*See Attachment

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

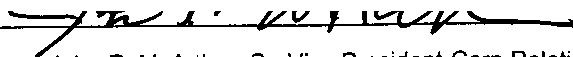
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18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
David Roberts	
Caroline Choi	
Michael Sewell	

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

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16. Specific lobbying issues

ENV

HR 1213 – Clean Coal Power Act of 2003. A bill to facilitate the production and generation of coal-based power.

HR 1245, National Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to establish an inventory, registry, and information system of US greenhouse gas emissions.

S 17, Global Climate Security Act of 2003. A bill to initiate responsible federal actions that will reduce the risks from climate change.

S 139, Climate Stewardship Act of 2003. A bill to authorize a program of scientific research on climate change and accelerate the reduction of US greenhouse gas emissions by establishing a market-driven system of greenhouse gas tradable allowances. 10/30/03-Senate vote failed 43-55.

S 194, National Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory and Registry Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to establish an inventory, registry, and information system of United States greenhouse gas emissions.

S 355 – Biodiesel Promotion Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit for biodiesel fuel.

S 582 – Coal Energy Research Development and Demonstration Act of 2003. A bill to authorize DOE to develop and implement an accelerated R&D program for advanced clean coal technologies and to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide financial incentives to encourage the early commercial application of advanced clean coal technologies.

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16. Specific lobbying issues

RRR

S 919, Railroad Competition Act of 2003. A bill to amend title 49, U.S. Code, to enhance competition among and between rail carriers in order to ensure efficient rail service and reasonable rail rates, and for other purposes.

HR 2192, Surface Transportation Board Reform Act of 2003. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Surface Transportation Board, to enhance railroad competition, and for other purposes.

HR 2924, Railroad Competition Act. A Bill to enhance competition among and between rail carriers in order to ensure efficient rail service and reasonable rail rates.

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16. Specific lobbying issues

ENG

S 14, Energy Policy Act of 2003. A bill to enhance the energy security of the United States, and for other purposes.

S 131, Nuclear Security Act of 2003: A bill to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 and the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 to strengthen security at sensitive nuclear facilities.

S 156, Price-Anderson Amendments Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 to reauthorize the Price-Anderson provisions.

S 475, Electric Transmission and Reliability Enhancement Act of 2003. A bill to reform the nation's outdated laws relating to the electric industry, improve the operation of our transmission system, enhance reliability of our electric grid, increase consumer benefits from whole electric competition and restore investor confidence in the electric industry.

S 509, Energy Market Oversight Act. A bill to modify the authority of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to conduct investigations, to increase the penalties for violations of the Federal Power Act and Natural Gas Act, to authorize the chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to contract for consultant services, and for other purposes.

S 954, No Title. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to provide for the protection of electric utility customers and enhance the stability of wholesale electric markets through the clarification of state regulatory jurisdiction.

S 1043, Nuclear Infrastructure Security Act of 2003. A bill to provide for the security of commercial nuclear power plants and facilities designated by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

HR 6, Omnibus Energy Policy. A bill to enhance energy conservation and research and development, to provide for security and diversity in the energy supply for the American people, and for other purposes.

HR 1341, The Ratepayer Protection Act. A bill to prospectively repeal section 210 of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978, and for other purposes.

HR 3429, Nuclear Waste Financing Act of 2003. A Bill to improve the funding mechanism for the Department of Energy Civilian Radioactive Waste Management Program.

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16. Specific lobbying issues

CAW

HR 20, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize appropriations for state water pollution control revolving funds.

HR 203, Acid Rain Control Act. A bill to reduce acid deposition under the Clean Air Act.

HR 962, Clean Water Authority Restoration Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify jurisdiction over waters of the United States.

HR 999, Clear Skies Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce air pollution through expansion of cap and trade programs.

HR 2042, Clean Smokestacks Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce emissions from electric power plants.

S 170, Clean Water Infrastructure Financing Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize appropriations for state water pollution control revolving funds.

S 366, Clean Power Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce emissions from electric power plants.

S 473, Clean Water Authority Restoration Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify jurisdiction over waters of the United States.

S 484, Omnibus Mercury Emissions Reduction Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to establish requirements concerning the operation of fossil fuel-fired electric utility steam generating units and others to reduce emissions of mercury.

S 485, Clear Skies Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce air pollution through expansion of cap and trade programs.

S843, Clean Air Planning Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to establish a national uniform multiple air pollutant regulatory program for the electric generating sector.

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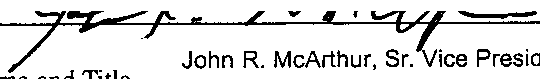
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16. Specific lobbying issues

TAX

HR 2, Jobs and Growth Reconciliation Tax Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide additional tax incentives to encourage economic growth. Signed into law May 28, 2003.

HR 1232, Technology Investment Incentive Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to shorten the recovery period for the depreciation of certain property.

HR 1531, Energy Tax Policy Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to enhance energy conservation and to provide for reliability and diversity in the energy supply for the American people, and for other purposes.

HR 1776, Pension Preservation and Savings Expansion Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make today's retirement savings opportunities permanent, to expand and improve retirement savings vehicles, to extend pension coverage through regulatory simplification and small business incentives, to enhance fairness and pension portability, to revitalize defined benefit plans, to provide additional defined contribution plan protections, to assist individuals in preserving their income throughout retirement, and for other purposes.

HR 2332, No Title. A bill to amend the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 to make permanent the treatment of dividend income as capital gains.

HR 3108, Pension Funding Equity Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to temporarily replace the 30-year Treasury rate with a rate based on long-term corporate bonds for certain pension plan funding requirements and other provisions.

HR 3246, Mobile Machinery Tax Fairness Act. To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that certain mobile machinery not be treated as highway vehicles.

S 2, Jobs and Growth Tax Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide additional tax incentives to encourage

economic growth. Signed into law May 28, 2003.

S 664, Investment in America Act of 2003. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently extend the research credit, to increase the rates of the alternative incremental credit, and to provide an alternative simplified credit for qualified research expenses.

S 882, Tax Administration Good Government Act. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide improvements in tax administration and taxpayer safe-guards.

S 1149, Energy Tax Incentives Act of 2003. An original bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide energy tax incentives, and for other purposes.

S 1637, Jumpstart Our Business Strength (JOBS) Act. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to comply with the World Trade Organization rulings on the FSC/ETI benefit in a manner that preserves jobs and production activities in the United States, to reform and simplify the international taxation rules of the United States, and for other purposes.

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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

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

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

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

Signature  Date _____

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