

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF FARMER COOPERATIVES**

2. Address:

50 F STREET, NW, SUITE 900, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip(or Country): \_\_\_\_\_

4. Contact Name: RANDALL T. JONES

Telephone: 202-626-8700

E-mail (optional): rjones@ncfc.org

Senate ID #: 27638-12

House ID #: 30600000

7. Client Name:  Self

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 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): 493,000.00

#### 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:

S. 502 Rural Renaissance Act, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives S. 675 New Homestead Act, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives 2002 Farm Bill (Farm Security and Rural Investment Act), provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture

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

House

Senate

U.S. Department of Agriculture

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: KLIPPENSTEIN, JACKIE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: QUARLES, KAM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HCR 376/SCR 83 FY 2007 Budget Resolution, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture HR 4939 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, provisions relating to agriculture disaster assistance HR 5384 FY 2007 Agriculture Appropriations, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture HR 5386 FY 2007 Appropriations for Department of Interior, environment and related agencies, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture

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

House of Representatives  
Senate  
U.S. Department of Agriculture

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
Name: KLIPPENSTEIN, JACKIE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
Name: QUARLES, KAM  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HCR 424/SCR 97 Sense of Congress Resolution in Support of Renewable Energy Goals, provisions relating to achieving renewable energy goals by 2025 HR 4761 Providing for Energy Exploration on the Outer Continental Shelf, provisions to expand energy production to help meet U.S. and agriculture energy needs S. 3711 Providing for Exploration and Development of Energy in Gulf of Mexico, provisions to expand energy production to help meet U.S. and agriculture energy needs

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

House

Senate

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: KLIPPENSTEIN, JACKIE

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

EPA Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures Regulations, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture HR 4341/S 3681 To Amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response and Compensation Liability Act of 1980 (Superfund), provisions clarifying regulation of manure under the Act EPA proposed regulations on particulate matter, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture EPA regulation of Volatile Organic Compounds, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture

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

EPA - Environmental Protection Agency  
U.S. Department of Agriculture  
House  
Senate

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
Name: KLIPPENSTEIN, JACKIE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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:

HR 4167/S 3128 National Uniformity of Food Act of 2006, provisions providing for national uniformity in food labeling

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

House  
Senate

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
Name: KLIPPENSTEIN, JACKIE  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 884/S 359 Agricultural Jobs, Opportunity, Benefits and Security Act (AG JOBS), provisions relating to agricultural labor S 2611 To Provide for Comprehensive Immigration Reform and Other Purposes, provisions relating to agricultural labor

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

House  
Senate

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: QUARLES, KAM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: LBR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2830/S 1783 Pension Reform, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives HR 4 Pension Protection Act of 2006, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives

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

House  
Senate

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

Name: CARSON, MARLIS

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: JONES, RANDALL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: QUARLES, KAM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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:

Internal Revenue Code, tax provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture

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

House  
Senate

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

Name: CARSON, MARLIS  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: JONES, RANDALL  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: QUARLES, KAM  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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:

HR 2864/S 728 Water Resources Development Act, provisions relating to farmer cooperatives and agriculture transportation

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

House  
Senate

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
Name: QUARLES, KAM  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

WTO DOHA negotiations relating to agriculture

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

House

Senate

U.S. Department of Agriculture

U.S. Trade Representative

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

Name: JONES, RANDALL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: QUARLES, KAM

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Randall T. Jones, Senior Vice President -