

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

DLA PIPER RUDNICK GRAY CARY US LLP

2. Address:

, WASHINGTON, DC 20036

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

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

4. Contact Name: JOHN ZENTAY

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Senate ID #: 76855-936

House ID #: 32113054

7. Client Name: Self

INDEPENDENT FUEL TERMINAL OPERATORS ASSOCIATION

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): 160,000.00

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): _____

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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TERMINAL OPERATORS ASSOCIATION

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: FUE (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.3, Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users, provisions on excise taxes. H.R.6, Energy Policy Act of 2005, provisions on ethenol, Strategic Petroleum Reserve and excise tax. S.10, Energy Policy Act of 2005, provisions on ethenol, Strategic Petroleum Reserve and excise tax. S.606, Reliable Fuels Act, S.650, Fuels Security Act of 2005, S.732, Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2005

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: GRANT, ANDREA

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: JONES, LISA

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MIGDAIL, EVAN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: PHILLIPS, STEVEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: ZENTAY, JOHN

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: Feb 13, 2006

Printed Name and Title: William Minor, Partner -