

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAN NURSES ASSN

2. Address:

8515 Georgia Avenue Suite 400, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3492

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

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

4. Contact Name: ROSE GONZALEZ

Telephone: 3016285098

E-mail (optional): Rose.Gonzalez@ana.org

Senate ID #: 2968-24

House ID #: 32233001

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): 497,766.00

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.549/H.R. 962: The Preservation of Antibiotics for Medical Treatment Act (PAMTA). All provisions related to banning the nontherapeutic use of antibiotics in animal feed.

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: ABOOD, SHEILA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ARTZ, MICHELLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CONANT, RACHEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JACKSON, CARLOS

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCKEON, ERIN

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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

testing, funding for the IHS loan repayment and prevention programs, funding for the Medicare Chronic Care Practice Research Network. H.Con.Res. 99/ S.Con.Res. 21: FY 2008 Budget Resolution: Function 550, health care programs. H.J.Res 20: Continuing Appropriations resolution FY2007: All provisions relating to appropriations for Nursing Workforce Development Programs, and OSHA respirator fit-testing requirements. H.R. 3043 / S. 1710: FY 2008 Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriations Act: All provisions relating to appropriations for Nursing Workforce Development Programs, the National Institute of Nursing Research, and OSHA respirator fit-

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Office of Management & Budget (OMB)
SENATE

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

Name: ABOOD, SHEILA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ARTZ, MICHELLE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CONANT, RACHEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JACKSON, CARLOS
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCKEON, ERIN
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: DEF (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1548: Department of Defense Authorization for FY 2008: Provisions related to scholarships and stipends to encourage registered nurses separating from the military to consider careers as nursing faculty.

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

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

Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCKEON, ERIN

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: EDU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H. R. 2384: Nursing Faculty Higher Education Act: Provisions related to scholarships for nursing faculty.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCKEON, ERIN

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: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2073: The Child Health Care Crisis Relief Act: All provisions related to the increase in number of well-trained mental health service professionals (including those based in schools) providing clinical mental health care to children and adolescents. S. 1572: The Child Health Care Crisis Relief Act: All provisions related to the increase in number of well-trained mental health service professionals (including those based in schools) providing clinical mental health care to children and adolescents. H.R. 772 / S. 442: The Nurse Education, Expansion, and Development Act: All provisions related to nursing education. S. 358: The Genetic Nondiscrimination Act: All provision related to genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment. H.R. 493: The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2007: All provisions related to genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment. H.R. 677 Nursing School Capacity Act of 2007: All provisions related to nursing education. H.R. 772/S. 446: Nurse Education, Expansion, and Development Act of 2007: All provisions related to grants to nursing schools to increase the number of nursing faculty and students. S. 558: Mental Health Parity Act of 2007: All provisions related to group health plans related to mental health benefits. S. 1604: Nursing Education and Quality Health Care Act: Provisions related to nursing education and the reporting on nursing practice quality indicators. H.R. 2572: Nurse Loan Forgiveness Act: Provisions related to loan repayments for nurses. H.R. 3/ S. 5: Stem Cell Research Enhancement Act of 2007: All provisions relating to stem cell research. H.R. 1424: Paul Wellstone Mental Health and Addiction Equity Act of 2007: All provisions related to mental health parity. H.R. 2073: The Child Health Care Crisis Relief Act: All provisions related to the increase in number of well-trained mental health service professionals (including those based in schools) providing clinical mental health care to children and adolescents.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
SENATE

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

Name: ABOOD, SHEILA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ARTZ, MICHELLE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CONANT, RACHEL
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCKEON, ERIN
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: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1348: Comprehensive Immigration Reform Act: Provisions related to the immigration of foreign-trained nurses.

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

SENATE

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

Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MCKEON, ERIN

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: LBR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1644 / S. 1041: Re-Empowerment of Skilled and Professional Employees and Construction Tradesworkers (RESPECT) Act; All provisions relating to the definition of supervisor in the National Labor Relations Act; H.R. 800: Employee Free Choice Act; All provisions relating to labor organizing.

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: ABOOD, SHEILA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ARTZ, MICHELLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CONANT, RACHEL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2122: The Safe Nursing and Patient Care Act of 2007. All provisions related to mandatory overtime. S. 73: The Registered Nurse Safe Staffing Act of 2007. All provisions relating to nurse staffing. H.R. 1663: Medicare Mental Health Modernization Act. All provisions related to mental health parity in Medicare. S.3/ H.R. 4: Medicare Prescription Drug Price Negotiation Act of 2007: All provisions relating to Medicare payments for prescription drugs. S. 450/H.R. 748: Medicare Access to Rehabilitation Services Act of 2007: All provisions related to outpatient therapy caps. S.1678: Home Health Care Planning Improvement Act of 2007: All provisions related to payment for home health care services. H.R. 748 / S. 450: Medicare Access to Rehabilitation Services Act: All provisions related to the outpatient therapy cap. S. 1544: Medicare Quality Enhancement Act: Provisions related to the collection and evaluation of Medicare data for quality reports. CMS-1533-P Medicare Program: Proposed Changes to the Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems and Fiscal Year 2008 Rates. Sections related to relative weight calculations and hospital-acquired conditions, including infections. CMS - 1321- P - Proposed changes to the Criteria for National Certifying Bodies - Advanced Practice Nurses. H.R. 2066 / S. 59: Medicaid Advanced Practice Nurse and Physicians Assistant Access Act: All provisions related to Medicaid coverage of advanced practice registered nurses. H.R. 864 / S. 507: Midwifery Care Access and Reimbursement Act: All provisions related to Medicare reimbursement for certified nurse midwife services.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
SENATE

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

Name: ABOOD, SHEILA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ARTZ, MICHELLE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CONANT, RACHEL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GONZALEZ, ROSE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JACKSON, CARLOS
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MCKEON, ERIN
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 03, 2007

Printed Name and Title: ROSE GONZALEZ, MPS, RN DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENT AFFA -

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 03, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -