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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name: TRUST FOR PUBLIC LAND 660 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, SE, #401, WASHINGTON, DC 20003 3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2): 4. Contact Name: KATHY DECOSTER Telephone: 2025437552 E-mail (optional): Kathy.DeCoster@tpl.org Senate ID #: 38574-12 House ID #: 30567000 7. Client Name: X Self TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1 - June 30): OR Year End (July 1 - December 31): X 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: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 100,000.00 14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 5033[b](8) of the Internal Revenue Code
Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

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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: BUD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR538 FY2007 Interior Appropriations, Title I, all provisions relating to land conservation; Title II, EPA, all provisions relating to brownfields, clean water, and safe drinking water; Title III, Forest Service, all provisions relating to land conservation. HR5384 FY2007 Agriculture Appropriations, Title II, all provisions related to NOAA/coastal conservation, HR 5572 FY2007 Science, State, Justice, and Commerce Appropriations, Title II, all provisions related to NOAA/coastal conservation. HR 5576, FY2007 Transportation, Treasury, HUD, Judiciary, DC Appropriations, Title I, all provisions related to surface transportation and enhancements, Title III, all provisions related to Economic Development Initiative. HR 5631, FY2007 Defense Appropriations, all provisions relating to the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)
Defense, Dept of (DOD)
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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Interior, Dept of (DOI)
Natl Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
Office of Management & Budget (OMB)
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18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: BATRA, SIMI
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DECOSTER, KATHY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FRONT, ALAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KANE-SZYNAL, LESLEY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: RUNNINGEN, MARSHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SADLER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SADLER, TOM

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- 15. General issue area code: DEF (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR5122 National Defense Authorization Act for FY2007, Amendments to Sections 2811 and 2812 of Public Law 107-314 and the authorization levels for the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative. S 2766 National Defense Authorization Act for FY2007, Amendment to Sections 2811 and 2812 of Public Law 107-314 and the authorization levels for the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative. see next page

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Defense, Dept of (DOD) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE SENATE

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

Name: BATRA, SIMI
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SADLER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: ENV (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 5810 and related legislation: To amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to authorize funding for brownfields revitalization activities and State response programs. HR 2856 Water Resources Development Act, all provisions. S 728 Water Resources Development Act, all provisions.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Army, Dept of (Corps of Engineers) Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE ENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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- 15. General issue area code: IND (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

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17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Agriculture, Dept of [USDA] HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Interior, Dept of [DOI] Justice, Dept of [DOJ] SENATE SENATE

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

Name: DECOSTER, KATHY
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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: RES (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

S1215 Coastal and Estuarine Land Protection Act: all provisions for program reauthorization. S1723 Working Waterfront Preservation Act of 2005, all provisions. S3636 Washington County Growth and Conservation Act of 2006, all provisions. HR3187 Coastal and Estuarine Land Provision Act: All provisions for program reauthorization. HR4100 Louisiana Recovery Corporation Act; all provisions. HR3824 Threatened and Endangered Species Act, all provisions. S2110 Collaboration for the Recovery of Endangered Species Act, all provisions. HR2939 Oceans Conservation, Education, and National Strategy for the 21st Century Act, all provisions. S124 National Ocean Protection Act of 2005, all provisions. HR 318 to Study Castle Nugent Farms as NPS Unit, all provisions. S964 America Outdoors Act, all provisions. S941 Suburban and Community Forestry and Open Space Program Act, all provisions. Highlands Conservation Act implementation. HR 394 Minuteman National Historical Park Boundary Study Act, all provisions.

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Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
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Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC)

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- 15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Tax Code provisions regarding tax exempt organizations and conservation easement donations. HR4297, Tax Relief Extension Reconciliation Act of 2005, all provisions relating to conservation tax incentives. HR4 Pension Protection Act of 2006, all provisions relating to conservation and nonprofit organizations. S.2485 Secure Rural Schools and Communities Funding Act of 2006, all provisions relating to conservation. see next page

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

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Name: SADLER, TOM

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 13, 2007

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Printed Name and Title: KATHY DECOSTER DIRECTOR OF FEDERAL AFFAIRS -