

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

NATL ASSN OF WHEAT GROWERS

2. Address:

415 Second St. NE Suite 300, Washington, DC 20002

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

4. Contact Name: DAREN COPPOCK

Telephone: 2025477800

E-mail (optional): dcoppock@wheatworld.org

Senate ID #: 27228-12

House ID #:

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): 60,000.00

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:

Farm and food policy; grain standards and inspection; tax policy; energy; transportation; appropriations; international trade; crop insurance; conservation; USDA oversight; farm policy; research; biotechnology; pesticides; clean water; air quality; sanctions and food standards.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Commerce, Dept of (DOC)
Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC)
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE
Surface Transportation Board (STB)

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

Name: COPPOCK, DAREN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Name: GAEDE, MARK

Covered Official Position (if applicable): DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

Name: MORTON, BARRY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY

Name: SPURGAT, JENNIFER

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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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Budget resolution; agricultural appropriations

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Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

conservation; farm policy; research; biotechnology; pesticides; clean water; clean air standards.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Interior, Dept of (DOI)
SENATE

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Futures exchange policies (speculative position limits, daily trading limits, standards for deliveries against contracts)

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

Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

research; biotechnology; pesticides; clean water;

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

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Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
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15. General issue area code: F00 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

food quality standards; biotechnology labeling

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Food & Drug Administration (FDA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Farm and food policy; grain transit; tax policy; energy policy (including renewable); transportation; fuel surcharges.

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

Energy, Dept of
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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15. General issue area code: RES (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

conservation; property exchanges (sec. 1031); pesticide policy

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

grain transit; transportation; fuel surcharges; rate reasonableness; competitive rail service.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Commerce, Dept of (DOC)
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15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Ex-patriate income taxes for employees of wheat industry organizations, inheritance tax, general tax policy, renewable energy tax policy

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

Treasury, Dept of

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

grain transit; transportation; appropriations (transportation-related); Water Resources Development Act; sanctions policy.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Commerce, Dept of (DOC)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE
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15. General issue area code: TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Free Trade Agreements with Colombia, Peru, Panama and South Korea; WTO negotiating priorities in agriculture;

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
Commerce, Dept of (DOC)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE
U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Federal Motor Carrier requirements as they pertain to farm trucks; regulations for foreign trucks operating on American roads.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)
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Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
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SENATE
Transportation, Dept of (DOT)

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 13, 2008

Printed Name and Title: DAREN COPPOCK, CHIEF EXECUTIVE -

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: Feb 13, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -