

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

NEWS CORPORATION

2. Address:

444 NORTH CAPITOL STREET, NW SUITE 740, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

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

4. Contact Name: RICK LANE

Telephone: 202-824-6503

E-mail (optional): rlane@newscorp.com

Senate ID #: 29276-101

House ID #: 32146002

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): 1,710,000.00

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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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: COM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 193 - Broadcast Decency Enforcement Act of 2005 S. 900 - Television Information-Enhancement for the Visually Impaired Act or the TIVI Act S. 1600 - Digital Translator and Low-Power Television Transition Assistance Act H.R. 310 | Broadcast Decency Enforcement Act of 2005 H.R. 3726 - Child Pornography Prevention Act of 2005 H.R. 4472 - Children's Safety and Violent Crime Reduction Act of 2006 H.R. 3146 - Video Choice Act of 2005 H.R. 3298 - Television Viewer Consumer Protection Act of 2005 H.R. 4241 - Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DTV transition and hard-date) H.R. 1622 - Broadcast Ownership for the 21st Century H.R. 1665 - Localism in Broadcasting Reform Act 2005 H.R. 2354 - TV Consumer Choice Act H.R. 2359 - Digital Television Accountability and Governance Enhancement Act 2005 H.R. 1646 - Homeland Emergency Response Operations Act H.R. 5252 | Communications Opportunity, Promotion, and Enhancement Act of 2006 H.R. 5319 - Deleting Online Predators Act H.R. 5273 - Network Neutrality Act 2006 S. 616 - Indecent and Gratuitous and Excessively Violent Programming Control Act of 2005 S. 946 - Kid Friendly TV Programming Act of 2005 S. 1268 - SAVE LIVES Act S. 1294 - Community Broadband Act of 2005 S. 1349 - Video Choice Act of 2005 S. 1372 - FAIR Ratings Act S. 1504 - Broadband Investment and Consumer Choice Act S. 1600 - Digital Translator and Low Power Television Transition Asst. Act S. 1753 - Warning, Alert, and Response Network Act S. 1932 - Deficit Reduction Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 2005 (DTV transition and hard-date) S. 2113 - Digital Age Communications Act of 2005 S. 271 - The Undercounting of Minorities, Rural, Large and Younger Households by Broadcast Television Ratings Services S. 2360 - Internet Non-Discrimination Act of 2006 S. 2917 - Internet Freedom Restoration Act S. 3457 - Choice Act

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

Department of Commerce, Federal Communications Commission, Department of Justice
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: JACKSON, PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LANE, RICK

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: O'CONNELL, MAUREEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: REGAN, MIKE

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: CPT (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1699 | Stop Counterfeiting in Manufactured Goods Act S. 1984 - The Intellectual Property Rights Enforcement Act S. Res. 142 - Expressing the sense of the Senate that the United States Trade Representative should bring a case before the World Trade Organization regarding the violations of intellectual property rights by the People's Republic of China S. 2686 - Communications, Consumer's Choice and Broadband Deployment Act of 2006S. Res. 438 - Expressing the sense of Congress that institutions of higher education should adopt policies and educational programs on their campuses to help deter and eliminate illicit copyright infringement occurring on, and encourage educational uses of, their computer systems and networks H.R. 32 | Stop Counterfeiting in Manufactured Goods Act H.R. 1036 - to make technical corrections relating to copyright royalty judges H.R. 1201 - Digital Media Consumers' Rights Act of 2005 H.R. 4536 - Benefit Authors without Limiting Advancement or Net Consumer Expectations (BALANCE) Act of 2005 H.R. 4569 - Digital Transition Content Security Act of 2005 H.R. 4861 - Audio Broadcast Flag Licensing Act of 2006 H.R. 5439 - Orphan Works Act of 2006 H. Con. Res. 230 | Expressing the sense of the Congress that the Russian Federation must protect intellectual property rights. H. CON. RES. 303 - Urging the United States Trade Representative to take action to ensure that the People's Republic of China complies with its obligations to protect intellectual property rights, and for other purposes S. 1307 - Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act H.R. 3045 - Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act H.R. 3271 - Trade Agreement Enforcement Act H.R. 3283 - United States Trade Rights Enforcement Act Russia WTO Generalized System of Preference Canada IP China IPR

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

Department of Commerce, United States Trade Representative, Department of Justice
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: FARES, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: JACKSON, PAUL

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: LANE, RICK

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: REGAN, MIKE

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:

Tax issues relating to treatment of wages [Section 199]

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

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Name: LANE, RICK

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: Patrick Lane, Vice President Government Affairs -

Registrant Name: NEWS CORPORATION Client Name: Self

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20):

Country: USA

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 14, 2006

Printed Name and Title: PATRICK LANE, VICE PRESIDENT GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS -