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LOBBYING REPORT

| Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) | All Filers Are F | Required To Complete 1 | This Page |
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| 1. Registrant Name: |
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| TIPTON GROUP |
| 2. Address: 703 D ST SE, WASHINGTON, DC 20003 |
| Principal place of business (if different from line 2): |
| 4. Contact Name: LAURA MORAN Telephone: 2026758470 E-mail (optional): laura@tiptongroupdc.com |
| Senate ID #: 290593-51 House ID #: 37190005 |
| 7. Client Name: Self |
| STARBUCKS CORP |
| 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: X |
| 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 th 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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Registrant Name: TIPTON GROUP Client Name: STARBUCKS CORP

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 07, 2007

Printed Name and Title: EARNEST LINWOOD TIPTON, CHAIRMAN & CEO -

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