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LOBBYING REPORT

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| 1. Registrant name Principal Financial Group | | | |
| 2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1350 I Street, NW Suite 880 Washington DC 20005 USA | | | |
| 3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2) City State/Zip or Country | | | |
| 4a. Contact Name | b. Telephone number | c. E-mail | 5. Senate ID # |
| Ms. R. Lucia Riddle | 202-682-1280 | riddle.lucia@principal.com | 32178-12 |
| 7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self | Principal Financial Group | | 6. House ID # 31588000 |

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 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

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| <p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</p> <p>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).</p> | <p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>948,140</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> |
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Signature R. Lucia Riddle Date 2/10/2006

Printed Name and Title R. Lucia Riddle, Vice President-Federal Government Relations

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Registrant Name _____ Client Name _____
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area CPI

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

[S.1608.IS]- U.S. SAFE WEB Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
[S.1594.IS]- Financial Privacy Protection Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
[H.R.3804.IH]- Identity Theft Relief Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[H.R.4127.IH]- Data Accountability and Trust Act (DATA) (Introduced in House)
[H.R.3997.IH]- Financial Data Protection Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[S.2169.IS]- Financial Data Protection Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
[S.810.IS] - SAFE-ID Act (Introduced in Senate)
[H.R.1653.IH] - SAFE-ID Act (Introduced in House)

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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area HCR

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

- [S.1769.IS]- Public Health and Health Insurance Emergency Response Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
- [S.1716.PCS]- Emergency Health Care Relief Act of 2005 (Placed on Calendar in Senate)
- [S.2047.IS]- Healthy Communities Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
- [H.R.4642.IH]- Wired for Health Care Quality Act (Introduced in House)
- [H.R.4527.IH]- Health Care Relief Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant is engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide the information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code INS - Insurance (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. (unnumbered) Optional Federal Charter Legislation
[H.R.3504.IH]- Life Insurance Anti-Discrimination in Travel Act (Introduced in House)
[H.R.4513.IH]- Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Temporary Extension Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[H.R.4314.IH]-Terrorism Risk Insurance Revision Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[H.R.4619.IH]- Commission on Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[S.1928.IS] SMART Act (Introduced in Senate)

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
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| R. Lucia Riddle | |
| Patti Blumer | |
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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Client Name Principal Financial Group

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15. General issue area code RET - Retirement (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

[H.R.3111.IH]- Employee Stock Ownership Plan Promotion and Improvement Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[H.R.3249.IH]- Social Security Disability Determination Simplification Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[S.1588.IS]- To amend title XVI of the Social Security Act to clarify that the value of certain funeral and burial arrangements are not to be considered available resources under the supplemental... (Introduced in Senate)

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

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House of Representatives

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

| Name | Covered Official Position (if applicable) |
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| R. Lucia Riddle | |
| Rick Lawson | |
| Patti Blumer | |
| Sue Palmer | |
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area RET

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

- [H.R.3459.IH]- To amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that a monthly insurance benefit there un shall be paid for the month in which the recipient dies. (Introduced in House)
- [S.1783.PCS]-Pension Security and Transparency Act of 2005 (Placed on Calendar in Senate)
- [H.R.3899.IH]- Small Employer Defined Benefit Expansion Act (Introduced in House)
- [H.R.3789.IH]-To amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide, in the case an employee welfare benefit plan providing benefits in the event of disability, an... (Introduced in House)
- [H.R.3751.IH]-Retirement Account Emergency Access Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [H.R.4055.IH]- Employees' Pension Security Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [S.1819.IS]- 401(k) Enhancement Act: Encouraging Retirement Savings (Introduced in Senate)
- [H.R.3954.IH]- Social Security COLA Protection Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [S.1795.IS]- Social Security COLA Protection Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
- [S.1799.IS]- Government Pension Offset Reform Act (Introduced in Senate)
- [H.R.4421.IH]- S Corporation Reform Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [S.2086.IS]- IRA Equity Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)
- [H.R.4274.IH]- Preservation of Defined Benefit Plans Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [H.R.2951.IH]Lifetime Pension Annuity for You Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
- [S.1359.IS]Retirement Savings and Security Act of 2005 (Introduced in Senate)

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

[H.R.3428.IH]- OTC Medicine Tax Fairness Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
[H.R.4388.IH]-Tax Revision Act of 2005 (Introduced in House)
S. 2020 Tax Relief Act of 2005
(unnumbered)President's Commission on Tax Reform Recommendations

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

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

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| Rick Lawson | |
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area IMM

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

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| <p>[S.1932.PCS]Deficit Reduction Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 2005 (Placed on Calendar in Senate)</p> <p>[S.1932.ES]Deficit Reduction Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 2005 (Engrossed as Agreed to or Passed by Ser</p> |
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