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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:
PODESTA GROUP, INC
2. Address: 1001 G STREET, NW SUITE 900 EAST, WASHINGTON, DC 20001
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):
4. Contact Name: KIMBERLEY FRITTS Telephone: 2023931010 E-mail (optional): LOBBYING@PODESTA.COM
Senate ID #: 31680-722 House ID #:
7. Client Name: Self
SCIENCE COALITION
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: X => Income (nearest \$20,000): 340,000.00
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):
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: BUD (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

Science research funding in FY2008 Appropriations Bills and Budget Resolutions

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

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

Name: BAKER, TEAL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: BECK, KATIE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FRENCH, CAMERON Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FRITTS, KIMBERLY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: KAUDERS, ANDREW Covered Official Position (if applicable): SR ADV, SEN, MENENDEZ; ED, HOUSE DEM CAUCUS Name: MORRA, ELIZABETH Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: PODESTA, ANTHONY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: SCOFIELD, JOHN Covered Official Position (if applicable): COMM DIR., HOUSE APPROPS. COMMITTEE Name: TESSIER, MICHELLE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: URBAN, HEATHER
Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEG DIR-SEN H. REID; LEG DIR CONG S. BERKLEY

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

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

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

H.R. 1868 - Tech innovation and Manufacturing Simulation Act. H.R. 363 - Sowing Seeds through Research Act S-761 - America COMPETES Act. H.R. 362 - 10,000 Teachers, 10 Million Minds Act. H.R. 1867 - NSF Re-Auth Act.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: Energy, Dept of Executive Office of the President (EOP) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Natl Institutes of Health (NIH) SENATE

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

Name: BAKER, TEAL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: BECK, KATIE Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: COHEN, SHARON Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FRENCH, CAMERON Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: FRITTS, KIMBERLY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: GERARD, RANDALL Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: JAMES, CLAUDIA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KAUDERS, ANDREW
Covered Official Position (if applicable): SR ADV, SEN. MENENDEZ; ED, HOUSE DEM CAUCUS
Name: MORRA, ELIZABETH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: PODESTA, ANTHONY Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SCOFIELD, JOHN

Name: TESSIER, MICHELLE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): COMM DIR., HOUSE APPROPS. COMMITTEE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A Name: URBAN, HEATHER

Covered Official Position (if applicable): LEG DIR-SEN H. REID; LEG DIR CONG S. BERKLEY

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: KIMBERLEY FRITTS, CEO -

Registrant Name: PODESTA GROUP, INC Client Name: SCIENCE COALITION

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

Name: BAKER, TEAL

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, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -