

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**VAN NESS FELDMAN, A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION**

2. Address:

1050 THOMAS JEFFERSON STREET, NW SEVENTH FLOOR, WASHINGTON, DC 20007

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

Country: SAME State/Zip(or Country):

4. Contact Name: CAROLINE ROACH

Telephone: 202-298-1980

E-mail (optional): cjr@vnf.com

Senate ID #: 39815-660

House ID #: 30171064

7. Client Name:  Self

**SONOMA COUNTY WATER AGENCY**

### 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): 40,000.00

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:

Proposals providing funding for the Pacific Coastal Salmon Recovery Program, including: H.R.5672, Science, Justice, Commerce and Related Agencies Appropriations Act 2007

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

House of Representatives  
United States Senate

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

Name: AGNEW, RICHARD

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: MCKIN, BEN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: McNALLY, NANCY

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: NELSON, JOSEPH

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SMITH, JORDAN

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

Name: SZABO, ROBERT

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: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R.1489, Coastal Ocean Observation System Integration and Implementation Act of 2005 H.R.1584, Ocean and Coastal Observation System Act of 2005, H.R.2939, Oceans Conservation, Education, and National Strategy for the 21st Century Act, S.1224, National Oceans Protection Act of 2005, S.361, Ocean and Coastal Observation System Act of 2005,S.39, National Ocean Exploration Program Act, Science, Justice, Commerce, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006 H.R.3835, National Ocean Exploration Program Act S.2012, Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Reauthorization Act of 2005 H.R.5018, American Fisheries Management and Marine Life Enhancement Act H.R.5051, Magnuson Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Amendments Act of 2006 H.R.5450, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Act

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

Department of Commerce  
House of Representatives  
United States Senate  
Council on Environmental Quality

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

Name: AGNEW, RICHARD  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):  
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Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 08, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Curt Rich, Member -