

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

CMS ENERGY CORP

2. Address:

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

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Senate ID #: 9578-12

House ID #: 31130000

7. Client Name: Self

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

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): 235,000.00

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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15. General issue area code: BAN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR809 a bill to make permanent the individual income tax rates for capital gains and dividends. HR526 - 21st Century Science for Nuclear Waste Disposal Act, redirects the nuclear waste fund be used for research, etc... S858 - Nuclear Fees Reauthorization Act of 2005. S467 Terrorism Risk Insurance Extension Act of 2005. HR1153 - a bill to extend the terrorism insurance program of the Department of the Treasury.

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: HARTER, KIRAN L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MENGENBIER, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PICKART, GEORGE A.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SAARI, NORMAN J.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR2744 - Agriculture FY'06 Approps, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) provisions. HR2862 Science/State/Justice/Commerce and related agencies FY'06 Appropriations. HR2419 Energy & Water FY'06 Appropriations. HR3057 Foreign Operations FY'06 Appropriations, development assistance related provisions. HR3010 Labor/HHS/Education FY'06 Appropriations. LIHEAP related provisions. HconRes95 to establish the congressional budget for FY'06, revising appropriate budgetary levels for FY'05, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for FY'07-'10. SConRes18 - set forth the congressional budget for FY'06 and including the appropriate budgetary levels for FY'05 and '07 thru '10. HR2601 - Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007, provisions to authorize appropriations for the Department of State for fiscal years 2006 and 2007. S600 - Foreign Affairs Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007, provisions to authorize appropriations for the Department of State and for fiscal years 2006 and 2007 and for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 2006 and 2007. HR3057 - Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2006, provisions making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: PICKART, GEORGE A.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005. S.131 - Clear Skies Act of 2005. S150 Clean Power Act of 2005. S342 Climate Stewardship Act of 2005. S1151 Climate Stewardship and Innovation Act of 2005. S730 - Mercury Emission Act of 2005. S386, S387, S388 and S887 - Climate Change Technology Deployment and Infrastructure Credit Acts of 2005 as introduced by Sen. Hagel. SJRes20 - resolution disapproving the EPA's mercury rule as introduced by Sen. Leahy.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

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Name: HARTER, KIRAN L.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: MENGENBIER, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PICKART, GEORGE A.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SAARI, NORMAN J.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005. S.131 - Clear Skies Act of 2005. S150 Clean Power Act of 2005. S342 Climate Stewardship Act of 2005. S1151 Climate Stewardship and Innovation Act of 2005. S730 - Mercury Emission Act of 2005. S386, S387, S388 and S887 - Climate Change Technology Deployment and Infrastructure Credit Acts of 2005 as introduced by Sen. Hagel. SJRes20 - resolution disapproving the EPA's mercury rule as introduced by Sen. Leahy. S1194 - Spent Nuclear Fuel Tracking and Accountability Act. HR3017 - Nuclear Power Licensing Reform Act of 2005. HR526 - 21st Century Science for Nuclear Waste Disposal Act. S858 - Nuclear Fees Reauthorization Act of 2005. S864-Nuclear Safety and Security Act of 2005.

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

Energy, Dept of
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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15. General issue area code: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005. S.131 - Clear Skies Act of 2005. S150 Clean Power Act of 2005. S342 Climate Stewardship Act of 2005. S1151 Climate Stewardship and Innovation Act of 2005. S730 - Mercury Emission Act of 2005. S386, S387, S388 and S887 - Climate Change Technology Deployment and Infrastructure Credit Acts of 2005 as introduced by Sen. Hagel. SJRes20 - resolution disapproving the EPA's mercury rule as introduced by Sen. Leahy. S1194 - Spent Nuclear Fuel Tracking and Accountability Act. HR526 - 21st Century Science for Nuclear Waste Disposal Act.

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15. General issue area code: FDR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR2862 Science/State/Justice/Commerce and related agencies FY'06 Appropriations. HR3057 Foreign Operations FY'06 Appropriations, development assistance related provisions. HR2601 - Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007, provisions to authorize appropriations for the Department of State for fiscal years 2006 and 2007. S600 - Foreign Affairs Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007, provisions to authorize appropriations for the Department of State and for fiscal years 2006 and 2007 and for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 2006 and 2007. HR3057 - Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2006, provisions making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006.

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SENATE

State, Dept of (DOS)

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15. General issue area code: FUE (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005. S.131 - Clear Skies Act of 2005. S150 Clean Power Act of 2005. S342 Climate Stewardship Act of 2005. S1151 Climate Stewardship and Innovation Act of 2005. S730 - Mercury Emission Act of 2005. S386, S387, S388 and S887 - Climate Change Technology Deployment and Infrastructure Credit Acts of 2005 as introduced by Sen. Hagel. SJRes20 - resolution disapproving the EPA's mercury rule as introduced by Sen. Leahy. HR3/S732 - Safe, Accountable, Flexible and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2005. HR2958 - a bill to require notification of appropriate emergency response authorities when damage to underground pipeline facilities occurs or is discovered.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
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15. General issue area code: INS (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S467 - Terrorism Risk Insurance Extension Act of 2005. HR1153 a bill to extend the terrorism insurance program of the Department of the Treasury. HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005, Price Anderson provisions.

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15. General issue area code: NAT (one per page)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S219 - National Employee Savings and Trust Equity Guarantee Act of 2005. HR2830 - Pension Protection Act of 2005. HR2106 - Employee Pension Preservation and Taxpayer Protection Act of 2005. S861 -Employee Pension Preservation Act of 2005.

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15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR809 a bill to make permanent the individual income tax rates for capital gains and dividends. HR2830- Pension Protection Act of 2005, provisions to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reform the pension funding rules. HR2106- Employee Pension Preservation and Taxpayer Protection Act of 2005, provisions to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide transition funding rules for certain plans electing to cease future benefit accruals. S861 - Employee Pension Preservation Act of 2005, provisions to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide transition funding rules for certain plans electing to cease future benefit accruals. HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005.

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15. General issue area code: TRA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR3058 - Transportation/Treasury/Judiciary/HUD FY'06 Appropriations. HR3 - Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2005, hours of service related provisions. HR2958 - a bill to require notification of appropriate emergency response authorities when damage to underground pipeline facilities occurs or is discovered.

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15. General issue area code: UTI (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR6/S10 - Energy Policy Act of 2005. S.131 - Clear Skies Act of 2005. S150 Clean Power Act of 2005. S342 Climate Stewardship Act of 2005. S1151 Climate Stewardship and Innovation Act of 2005. S730 - Mercury Emission Act of 2005. S386, S387, S388 and S887 - Climate Change Technology Deployment and Infrastructure Credit Acts of 2005 as introduced by Sen. Hagel. SJRes20 - resolution disapproving the EPA's mercury rule as introduced by Sen. Leahy. S1194 - Spent Nuclear Fuel Tracking and Accountability Act. HR3017 - Nuclear Power Licensing Reform Act of 2005. HR526 - 21st Century Science for Nuclear Waste Disposal Act. S858 - Nuclear Fees Reauthorization Act of 2005. S864-Nuclear Safety and Security Act of 2005. HR3/S732 - Safe, Accountable, Flexible and Efficient Transportation Equity Act of 2005, hours of service related provisions. HR2958 - a bill to require notification of appropriate emergency response authorities when damage to underground pipeline facilities occurs or is discovered.

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SAARI, NORMAN J.
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 10, 2005

Printed Name and Title: GEORGE A. PICKART - DIRECTOR, FEDERAL AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS