

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:

1016 16TH ST NW 5TH FLOOR, WASHINGTON, DC 20036

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

4. Contact Name: GEORGE A. PICKART

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Senate ID #: 9578-12

House ID #: 31130000

7. Client Name: Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2004 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): 200,000.00

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:

HJ Res 107, continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2005, utility-related provisions. HR 4818 - Consolidated Appropriations Resolution - energy related provisions. HR 4520 - American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, Homeland Investment Act provisions.

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: 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:

HR 4614 - Energy & Water Appropriations for FY'05. HR 4818/S 2812 - Foreign Operations Appropriations for FY'05, development assistance related provisions. HR 5006/S 2810 - Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education FY'05 Appropriations, LIHEAP related provisions. HR 4754/S 2809 - Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies FY'05 Appropriations, State Department related provisions. HR 3981 a bill to amend provisions in the Nuclear Waste Fund.

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: 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: CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 6 - Energy Omnibus Bill, HR 4652 - the Energy Independence Act of 2004, S1844 - The Clear Skies Act of 2003, HR 2042 - Clean Smokestacks Act, S139 - McCain Lieberman Climate bill, S 366 - Natural Energy Policy Act, S.484 Omnibus Mercury Resolution Act 2003, S 843 - Four Pollutants bill, S 366 Jeffords Clean Air Act.

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

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

White House Office

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

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: PICKART, GEORGE A.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR3981 - a bill to reclassify fees paid into the Nuclear Waste Fund as offsetting collections. HR 6 - Energy Omnibus bill. S. Con Res 141/ H Con Res 441 - recognizing the role of nuclear power in national energy policy. HR 671 - Renewable Energy Production Incentive Reform Act. HR 804-Biomass Tax Credit. HR 1294 - Renewable Energy Portfolio. HR 1341 Ratepayer Protection Act. HR 1644 Energy Policy Act. HR 2042 Clean Smokestacks Act. HR4503 - Energy Policy Act of 2004. S 14 - National Energy Policy bill. S 366 Clean Power Act. S485/HR999 Clear Skies Act. S.843 - Clean Air planning Act. S 1844 Clear Skies Act of 2003.

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

Energy, Dept of
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
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15. General issue area code: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 6 - Energy Omnibus bill, HR 671 - Renewable Energy Production Incentive Reform Act, HR 804 - Biomass Tax Credit, HR906 - Surface Transportation Safety Act of 2003, HR1341 - Ratepayer Protection Act, HR1644 Energy Policy Act, S. 14 - National Energy Policy, HR 2042 Clean Smokestacks Act, HR 4503 Energy Policy Act of 2004, S 616 - Mercury Reduction Act of 2003, S 484 - Omnibus Mercury Reductoin Act of 2003, HR 999 S485 - Clean Power Act, S. 1844 Clear Skies Act, S. 139 McCain Lieberman Clear Skies bill, s.386 Four Pollutants bill, Jeffords, S. 843 Four Pollutants bill, Carper.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 4818/S 2812 - Foreign Operations Appropriations for FY'05, development assistance related provisions. HR 4754/S 2809 - Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies FY'05 Appropriations, State Department related provisions. S. 790 - Foreign Relations Authorization Act FY'05, India related provisions. S. 2144 - Foreign Affairs Authorization Act, India related provisions. S 2677/HR 4842 US Morocco Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act. H Res 738 - providing for consideration of the US Morocco Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

State, Dept of (DOS)

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 6 - Energy Omnibus bill, HR 671 - Renewable Energy Production Incentive Reform Act, HR 804 - Biomass Tax Credit, HR906 - Surface Transportation Safety Act of 2003, HR1341 - Ratepayer Protection Act, HR1644 Energy Policy Act, S. 14 - National Energy Policy, HR 2042 Clean Smokestacks Act, HR 4503 Energy Policy Act of 2004, S 616 - Mercury Reduction Act of 2003, S 484 - Omnibus Mercury Reductoin Act of 2003, HR 999 S485 - Clean Power Act, S. 1844 Clear Skies Act, S. 139 McCain Lieberman Clear Skies bill, s.386 Four Pollutants bill, Jeffords, S. 843 Four Pollutants bill, Carper.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 6 - Energy Omnibus bill, HR 671 - Renewable Energy Production Incentive Reform Act, HR 804 - Biomass Tax Credit, HR906 - Surface Transportation Safety Act of 2003, HR1341 - Ratepayer Protection Act, HR1644 Energy Policy Act, S. 14 - National Energy Policy, HR 2042 Clean Smokestacks Act, HR 4503 Energy Policy Act of 2004, S 616 - Mercury Reduction Act of 2003, S 484 - Omnibus Mercury Reductoin Act of 2003, HR 999 S485 - Clean Power Act, S. 1844 Clear Skies Act, S. 139 McCain Lieberman Clear Skies bill, s.386 Four Pollutants bill, Jeffords, S. 843 Four Pollutants bill, Carper.

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

Energy, Dept of
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Interior, Dept of (DOI)
SENATE

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 6 - Energy Omnibus bill. HR 767 Homeland Investment Act. HR 804 - Biomass Tax Credit. HR 4520/S 1637 - Jumpstart Our Business Strength (JOBS) Act, homeland investment provisions. S.14 - National Energy Policy.

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 5025/S 2806 - Transportation Appropriations Bill FY'05. S. 1072/ HR 3550 - Transportation Equity Act, hours of service related provisions. HR 3850 - Surface Transportation Extension Act, hours of service related provisions. HR 4219, Surface Transportation Equity Act, Part II, hours of service related provisions.

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 11, 2005

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