

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

THE HOBBS GROUP, LLC

2. Address:

101 CONSTITUTION AVE, NW, SUITE 900, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

Country: City: State/Zip(or Country):

4. Contact Name: DAVID HOBBS

Telephone: 202-742-4460

E-mail (optional): dhobbs@davidhobbsgroup.com

Senate ID #: 294495-36

House ID #: 37390000

7. Client Name: Self

ANHEUSER-BUSCH

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): 60,000.00

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

Registrant Name: THE HOBBS GROUP, LLC Client Name: ANHEUSER-BUSCH

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: ALC (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H. Res. 145, A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) should affirm its commitment to a policy discouraging use among underage students by ending all alcohol advertising during radio and television broadcast of collegiate sporting events. H.R. 864, The 'Sober Truth on Preventing Underage Drinking Act', or the 'STOP Underage Drinking Act'

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

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: DAVID, HOBBS

Covered Official Position (if applicable): ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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: BEV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1306/S. 722, A bill to amend the Tax Code of 1986 to reduce the tax on beer to its pre-1991 level. H.Res.145, A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that NCAA should affirm its commitment to a policy discouraging use among underage students by ending all alcohol advertising during radio and television broadcast collegiate sporting events. HR 864, The 'Sober Truth of Preventing Underage Drinking Act', or the 'STOP Underage Drinking Act' An advanced notice of proposed rulemaking regarding nutritional labeling on alcoholic beverages

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

Executive Office of the President
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: HOBBS, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable): ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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: RET (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2830, H.R. 4, The Pension Protection Act S. 1783, The Pension Security and Transparency Act

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

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: HOBBS, DAVID
Covered Official Position (if applicable): ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1306/S. 722, A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the tax and beer to its pre-1991 level H.R. 2830, H.R. 4, The Pension Protection Act S. 1783, The Pension Security and Transparency Act

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

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: DAVID, HOBBS

Covered Official Position (if applicable): ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 11, 2006

Printed Name and Title: David Hobbs, President -