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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported P.O. Box 33695			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) Denver CO 80233 City: State/zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Robert McLennan	Telephone (303) 452-6111	E-mail (optional) mmclennan@tristategt.org	5. Senate ID # 38450-00012
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self Self			6. House ID # 30566000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-Dec)

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 Lobbyin

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>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).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>100,000.00</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6011 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Robert McLennan Date 8/4/04

Registrant Name Tri-State G&T Assoc., Inc. Client Name Self

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Energy Policy Act of 2004 - S. 2095 / H.R. 4503


17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Robert McLennan	Vice President / External Affairs
David Mazour	Senior Government Relations Analyst
Jonathon Beyer	Government Relations Representative

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

Signature  Date 8/4/04

Printed Name and Title Robert McLennan, Vice President - Affairs

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Clean Air Act Reauthorization
 Clear Skies Act of 2003 - S. 485 / H.R. 999
 Clean Power Act of 2003 - S. 366
 Flag Guidelines
 Bart Regulations
 Mercury Regulations

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives
 Senate
 Environment Protection Agency
 Department of Interior
 United States Department of Agriculture

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Colorado River Storage Project Funding
 Energy Policy Act of 2004, S.2095 / H.R. 4503
 New Coal Base Generation Projects
 Water Resources Development Act


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House of Representatives
 Senate
 Western Area Power Administration

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Upper Colorado River Fishes Recovery Program
 Long Term funding for Colorado River Endangered Species Program
 Endangered Species Act reform, H.R. 2933 / H.R. 1862
 Proposed listing of the Greater Sage Grouse under the Endangered Species Act


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House of Representatives
 Senate
 Department of Interior

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15. General issue area code AGR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Rural Utility Service Funding
Energy and Water Appropriations, H.R. 4614


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House of Representatives
Senate
United States Department of Agriculture

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

Robert Frankmore

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

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

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, affiliated organization

Signature Robert McLennan Date 8/4/04

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