

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**NATL OILSEED PROCESSORS ASSN (NOPA)**

2. Address:

1300 L STREET, NW, SUITE 1020, WASHINGTON, DC 20005-4164

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

4. Contact Name: DAVID J. HOVERMALE

Telephone: 2028420463

E-mail (optional): dhovermale@nopa.org

Senate ID #: 48020-12

House ID #:

7. Client Name:  Self

## TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2007 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): 60,000.00

### 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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### 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: AGR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Lobby Issues: Monitoring oversight and legislative changes to H.R. 2646, the Farm Security Act. Monitoring efforts to changes relating to oilseed/commodity programs, conservation, food aid, food safety, disaster assistance, biotechnology, country-of-origin labeling, international trade, and overseas market development. Monitoring legislation relating to the formulation of the 2007 Farm Bill.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE  
U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

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

Name: HAMMER, THOMAS A.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.  
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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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:

Monitoring the FY 2008 Appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, Monitoring funding levels for PL 480, conservation, country-of-origin labeling.

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: HAMMER, THOMAS A.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.

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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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: CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitoring National Ambient Air Quality Standards, hazardous air pollutants and emission factors.

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

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: AILOR, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Registrant Name: NATL OILSEED PROCESSORS ASSN (NOPA) Client Name: Self

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15. General issue area code: F00 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitoring agricultural food safety and labeling issues.

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

Food & Drug Administration (FDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: AILOR, DAVID

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.

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: TRA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitoring legislation pertaining to the Water Resources Development Act of 2007

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: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.

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: TRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Monitoring legislation pertaining to agricultural trade policy, sanction on agricultural products, humanitarian food relief, biotechnology, World Trade Organization agricultural trade negotiations, and renewal of Trade Promotion Authority, Panama FTA, Peru FTA, Columbia FTA, and Korea FTA.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE  
U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

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

Name: HAMMER, THOMAS A.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: HOVERMALE, DAVID D.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Aug 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: DAVID HOVERMALE -

**Information Update Page:**

**Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

**LOBBYIST UPDATE**

**23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client**

**ISSUE UPDATE**

**24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain**

**AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

**25. Add the following organization(s)**

**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**

**28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization**

Signature: ON FILE      Date: Aug 14, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -