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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant name <b>National Grocers Association</b>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <b>1005 North Glebe Road, Suite 250</b> <b>Arlington VA 22201-5758 USA</b>			
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2) City _____ State/Zip or Country _____			
4a. Contact Name	b. Telephone number	c. E-mail	5. Senate ID #
Mr. Thomas F. Wenning	703-516-0700	twenning@nationalgrocers.org	27924
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self <b>National Grocers Association</b>			6. House ID # <b>33815000</b>

**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 Activities **INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13**

<p align="center"><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></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"/> ⇨ \$ _____</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 align="center"><b>13. Organizations</b></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>20,000</u></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature Thomas F. Wenning Date 2/3/2005  
 Printed Name and Title Thomas F. Wenning, Senior Vice President and General Counsel



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Client Name National Grocers Association

**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 FOO - Food Industry (Safety, Labeling, etc.) (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Country of Origin Labeling, H.R. 4576

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

Senate, House of Representatives

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

	Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
	Erik Lieberman	Director, Government Relations
	Thomas Wenning	Sr. VP & General Counsel
	Thomas Zaucha	President & CEO

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

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15. General issue area code LBR - Labor Issues/Antitrust/Workplace (one per page)

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Minimum Wage: S. 224

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Permanent Death Tax Repeal: H.R. 8, S. 13

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Industrial Loan Companies

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15. General issue area code SMB - Small Business (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Preserve Competition and Consumer Choice

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15. General issue area code TOB - Tobacco (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Tobacco Settlement: H.R. 140

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Registrant Name National Grocers AssociationClient Name National Grocers Association**Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.**

20. Client new address

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

City

State/Zip

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

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**ISSUE UPDATE**24. General lobbying issues 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	Owns perce client

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

Signature

Thomas F. Wenning

Date

2/3/2005

Printed Name and Title

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