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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name SUNKIST Growers			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 50 F Street N.W. Suite 1100, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20001			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) 14130 RIVERSIDE DRIVE City: SHERMAN OAKS, State/Zip (or Country) CALIFORNIA 91423			
4. Contact Name MICHAEL J. WOOTTON	Telephone 202-879-0256	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 37345
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 37345

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ 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 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>60,000⁰⁰</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000) 14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature *Michael J. Wootton*

Printed Name and Title MICHAEL J. WOOTTON, Director Federal Govt Affairs

ID # 37346

Registrant Name SUNKIST GROWERS Inc Client Name _____

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 Plant Protection Act - Implementation of National Plant Board *Sanquating rept.*
- Healthy Eating Programs - SADA - Food Guide for Young Children
 - Citrus Freeze Disaster Assistance - Crop year 99 losses
 - Food Quality Protection Act - Regulations & Voluntary guidelines
 - Agriculture Appropriations legislation (HR 1906)
 - APHIS/PPQ programs - Phytosanitary programs
 - Federal Crop Insurance - Crop loss Assistance program from USDA/FSA *Specialty Crop Risk Management*
 - Revising Citrus Grade Standards - USDA

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

U.S. House of Representatives White House/OMB
U.S. Senate
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture
Food & Drug Administration
Environmental Protection Agency

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
<u>Michael J. Wootton</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Michael J. Wootton Date 2/7/2000
 Printed Name and Title Michael J. Wootton, Director, Federal Govt Affairs

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Registrant Name Smile & Growers Inc Client Name _____

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

16. Specific lobbying issues HR 1906 - FY 2000 Agriculture Appropriations
- Funding for Export Promotion Programs, including Market Access Program, Emerging Markets Program, Cochran grant, Foreign Market Development
 - Operational expense needs of Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS)
 - Funding for APHIS/PPQ/International Services pest detection/exclusion program
 - Disaster Assistance for crop year '99 citrus freeze losses evaluation
 - S. 1983 To expand Funding For Export Promotion Programs.

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. D. A.
OFFICE OF Management & Budget

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

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<u>Michael Wootton</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. General issue area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Maintain tolerance for Sodium Cyanide used to make hydrogen cyanide fumigant
- Pesticide Registration - Section 18 for Malathion use in California
- Passage of Plant Protection Act
- Get USDA to press Codex to accept MRLs set by US + Press TAIWAN ON MRLs policy

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

- U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
- U.S. Dept. of Agriculture
- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Seeking Appropriations + policies to provide Emergency + Crop loss assistance to growers + packing houses who suffered losses due to December '98 Freeze in California

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

*U.S. Dept of Agriculture
U.S. Small Business Administration
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate*

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Printed Name and Title *Michael J. Wootton, Director, Federal Govt. Affairs*

Registrant Name ID# 37345 SUNRISE GROWERS INC. Client Name _____

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

*FDPA - Food Safety - HACCP regulations; Voluntary guidelines
 For Good Agricultural Practices;
 Country of Origin labeling requirements for Fresh Produce (HR 1145, HR 830, HR 1346)
 MRL tolerances for fresh Citrus Fruit + Codex Adaption (HR 1572, S. 823, S. 1125)*

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

*U.S. Dept of Agriculture
 Food & Drug Administration
 U.S. House of Representatives
 U.S. SENATE*

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FD 37345
 Registrant Name Summit Brower, Inc. Client Name _____

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

16. Specific lobbying issues HR 2859, 51666, 52225, S 1580, 51401, HR 1906

Crop insurance provisions re. Authority for Cooperation & Association to purchase CAT & stem insurance on behalf of members; Authority to accept endorsement fee from insurance providers in joint marketing program; more risk request tools for specialty crops; expansion of Citrus dollar-revenue risk pilot program

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

Check if None

*House of Reps
 Senate
 USDA Risk Management Agency.*

*grant 25% discount for insurance premium costs to 2001 crop year Crops.
 Formula for RMA calculation of Citrus Market Value loss*

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Registrant Name SUNKIST STRAWERS Inc Client Name _____

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

• *Changing Size Qualifications for eligibility of Co-op packing houses to receive emergency loan assistance due to freeze in December 1998.*

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

*U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Small Business Administration*

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Signature *Michael J. Wootton* Date *2/7/2000*
Printed Name and Title *Michael J. Wootton, Director Federal Boat Affairs*

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Registrant Name SUNNIST GROWERS Inc. Client Name _____

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Farm + Ranch Account Proposal For tax deferred reserve
- Full deductibility for health premiums for self-employed
- Dividend allocation rule legislation

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- Export Promotion Funding For MARKET ACCESS PROGRAM (MAP)
- FAST TRACK Negotiating Authority For NEXT WTO Round
- Agriculture exports - Trade Sanctions exemption
- PNTR For China
- WTO Agenda For Agriculture
- Tariff Reduction & Phytosanitary regulations For INDIA
- EMERGING MARKETS PROGRAM Participation
- REFORM QUARANTINE POLICIES - HONG KONG, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND

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

U.S. Dept. of Agriculture
 U.S. House of Representatives
 U.S. Senate
 White House
 U.S. Trade Representative

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

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Registrant Name SUNKIST GROWERS, Inc Client Name _____

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

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)
NONE		

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	Ownership percentage in client
NONE				

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

Signature Michael J. Wootton Date 2/7/2000

Printed Name and Title Michael J. Wootton, Director, Federal Govt. Affairs

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