

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**SMITH & BOYETTE**

2. Address:

1420 NEW YORK AVE NW #800, WASHINGTON, DC 20005

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

4. Contact Name: VAN R. BOYETTE

Telephone: 202-347-2772

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Senate ID #: 35731-24

House ID #: 31602001

7. Client Name:  Self

**FLORIDA CRYSTALS**

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2005 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): 20,000.00

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: SMITH & BOYETTE Client Name: FLORIDA CRYSTALS

**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:

HR 2646: The Farm Security Act of 2002: All sections pertaining to sugar title of the farm program. HR 4837: Appropriations for military construction: All sections dealing with Florida disaster relief funding for hurricane and drought assistance. All Trade issues leading to DR/CAFTA ratification. Appropriations: hurricane/disaster relief assistance for 2005

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: BOYETTE, VAN R.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: ENG (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

The Energy Policy Act of 2005: All sections dealing with providing tax credits and other incentives for electricity produced from biomass  
FSC Bill: Energy Tax provisions attached thereto. All Energy legislation relating to reusable fuels and renewable energy.

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: BOYETTE, VAN R.

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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: ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

HR 2691: Appropriations for the Interior: Sections dealing with the Everglades Restoration Act.

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: BOYETTE, VAN R.

Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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:

F.Y.2005 Budget of the US Government: All sections dealing with providing tax credits for electricity produced from biomass. HR 6: The Energy Policy Act: All sections dealing with ethanol tax credits.

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

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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

Name: BOYETTE, VAN R.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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:

Central American Free Trade Agreement (CAFTA): All sections dealing with lowering tariffs on sugar from Honduras, Guatemala, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Nicaragua, and the Dominican Republic. HR. 3009: Trade Act of 2002: All portions dealing with sugar quota circumvention. HR 3450: The North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) Implementation Act: all portions dealing with the elimination of tariffs on Mexican raw sugar. All FTAs and WTO talks involving refined or raw sugar.

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: SOLOWAY, STAN Z.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable):

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 10, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Van R. Boyette -