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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

CENTER ON BUDGET & POLICY PRIORITIES

2. Address:
820 FIRST ST., NE, SUITE 510, WASHINGTON, DC 20002

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):
City: WASHINGTON State/Zip(or Country): DC

4. Contact Name: ELLEN NISSENBAUM
Telephone: 2024081080
E-mail (optional): NISSENBAUM@CBPP.ORG

Senate ID #: 8670-12
House ID #: 31482000

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): 251,938.00

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

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: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1591, The U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act of 2007 (Title IV | provisions relating to Tenant-Based Rental Assistance and Title VI | provisions relating to the State Children's Health Insurance Program) H.R. 3161/S.1859, FY 2008 Agriculture Appropriations Act (Title IV, Domestic Food Programs | provisions relating to WIC and food stamps) H.R. 3074/S.1789, FY 2008 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act (Title II, Department of Housing and Urban Development | provisions relating to Tenant-Based Rental Assistance, the Housing Certificate Fund, Project-Based Rental Assistance, the Public Housing Capital Fund, and the Public Housing Operating Fund) H.R. 3093/S. 1745, FY 2008 Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act (provisions relating to the Census Bureau's Survey of Income and Program Participation) H. Con. Res. 99/S. Con. Res. 21, Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for FY 2008 H. J. Res. 20, Revised Continuing Appropriations Resolution of 2007 (provisions relating to Tenant-Based Rental Assistance, Project-Based Rental Assistance, Public Housing Operating Fund, and the Bureau of the Census)

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Executive Office of the President (EOP)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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

Name: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GREENSTEIN, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: NISSENBAUM, ELLEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SARD, BARBARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1851, Section 8 Voucher Reform Act of 2007 H.R. 1227/S. 1668, Gulf Coast Hurricane Housing Recovery Act of 2007 S. 829/H.R. 3126, HOPE VI Improvement and Reauthorization Act of 2007 S.788, Moving to Work Charter Program Act of 2007

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Executive Office of the President (EOP)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SENATE

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

Name: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SARD, BARBARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1348, Comprehensive Immigration Reform Act of 2007 (provisions relating to immigrant tax treatment and eligibility for public benefits)

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

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

Name: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GREENSTEIN, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1224, Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Reauthorization Act of 2007 S. 909/H.R. 1878, Amending Medicaid to permit States, at their option, to require certain individuals to present satisfactory documentary evidence of proof of citizenship or nationality for purposes of eligibility for Medicaid, and for other purposes. S. 751, A bill to amend Medicaid to modify certain administrative eligibility rules relating to children born in the United States to Medicaid-eligible mothers H.R. 3162, Children´s Health and Medicare Protection Act of 2007 H.R. 976, Senate substitute amendment reauthorizing the Children´s Health Insurance Program

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: NISSENBAUM, ELLEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ORRIS, ALLISON
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 156/H.R. 743, Permanent Internet Tax Freedom Act of 2007 S. 1453, ITFA Extension Act of 2007 S. 360, Greater Access To Education Act of 2007 S. 614, Middle Class Opportunity Act of 2007 H.R. 2951, Tax Relief for All Workers 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: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GREENSTEIN, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: NISSENBAUM, ELLEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2233/S. 1871, Unemployment Insurance Modernization 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: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

LOBBYING ACTIVITY.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

S. 1730, Pathways to Independence Act of 2007 S. 821/H.R. 2608, SSI Extension for Elderly and Disabled Refugees Act H.R. 3172, Freedom To Save Act of 2007 H.R. 2419, Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act (provisions relating to Food Stamps and The Emergency Food Assistance Program)

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: COVEN, MARTHA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DEAN, STACY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: GREENSTEIN, ROBERT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: NISSENBAUM, ELLEN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ROSENBAUM, DOTTIE
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: Dec 04, 2007

Printed Name and Title: ELLEN NISSENBAUM -

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

Name: NEUBERGER, ZOE

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: Dec 04, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -