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LOBBYING REPC

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1. Registrant Name ☑ Organization ☐ Individual

HEALTH AND MEDICINE COUNSEL OF WASHINGTON

2. Address ☐ **Check if different than previously reported**

Address1 507 CAPITOL COURT, NE, SUITE 200 Address2

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Ms. SARA ARNOLD	(202) 544-7499	arnold@hmcw.org	178

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8. Year 2006 Midyear (January1-June30) ☐ Year End (July 1-Dec

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report ☐

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INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than $10,000 ☑

$10,000 or more ☐ $

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

EXPENSE relating to lobbying activities for this were:

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14. REPORTING Check box to indica accounting method. See instructions for descripti

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15. General issue area code | BUD | Budget/Appropriations | (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

FY07 Labor-HHS Bill

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies ☐ Check if None ☑ House ☑ Senate

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

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
First	Last	Suffix	
Dale	Dirks		Legislative Consultant
Sara	Arnold		Legislative Director

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