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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

NATIONAL IMMIGRATION FORUM

2. Address:
50 F STREET, NW SUITE 300, WASHINGTON, DC 20001

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

4. Contact Name: EILEEN BARTHELMY
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Senate ID #: 28036-12
House ID #: 32543000

7. Client Name: ☒ Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 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): 60,000.00

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: IMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

.The Secure America and Orderly Immigration Act, S. 1033. Combines the following elements: 1) legal channels, proper vetting, meaningful protections, and realistic caps for workers and family members entering the country; 2) incentives for undocumented immigrants already here, working, and contributing to our nation to come out of the shadows, register, pay a fine, study English, clear up their taxes, and continue to work hard as a means of eventually earning permanent residency; 3) enforcement of a more realistic system that is targeted to go after smugglers and lawbreaking employers;National Immigration Forum, January 1, 2006-June 30, 2006 continued and 4) enabling more immigrants to learn English and prepare for citizenship. . The Secure America and Orderly Immigration Act, H.R. 2330. Combines the following elements: 1) legal channels, proper vetting, meaningful protections, and realistic caps for workers and family members entering the country; 2) incentives for undocumented immigrants already here, working, and contributing to our nation to come out of the shadows, register, pay a fine, study English, clear up their taxes, and continue to work hard as a means of eventually earning permanent residency; 3) enforcement of a more realistic system that is targeted to go after smugglers and lawbreaking employers; and 4) enabling more immigrants to learn English and prepare for citizenship. . Chairman Arlen Specter´s "Mark" (NO BILL NUMBER). Combines elements of the various Senate immigration bills. Includes a regulated worker program, increased family and employment based visas, increased enforcement, among other things. . Comprehensive Immigration Reform Act of 2006, S. 2611. Among other things, provides approximately 10 million undocumented immigrants with permanent residence within 6 to 8 years. It increases family and employment-based immigrant visas, and provides for a temporary workers program with protections for American workers. It also provides more resources for enforcement, and it contains a number of due-process related provisions of concern. .The Comprehensive Enforcement and Immigration Reform Act of 2005 (CEIRA), S. 1438. Among other things, combines enforcement with both a guestworker program that does not sufficiently protect workers and an unworkable "report to deport" requirement for the 11 million undocumented immigrants currently working and living in the United States. . Four Bills: S. 1916, Strengthening America's Security Act; S. 1917, The Employment Verification Act; S. 1918, Strengthening America´s Workforce Act; S. 1919, Immigrant Accountability Act. These bills, taken together, serve as a comprehensive reform package. There is a bill focusing on border security. There is a bill focusing on employment verification. There is a bill focusing on the workforce, with a temporary worker program and provisions to allow for the adjustment to permanent status for some. Finally, there is a bill focusing on legalization and backlog reduction. . Border Protection, Antiterrorism, and Illegal Immigration Control Act, H.R. 4437. Among other things, it would make "unlawful presence" an "aggravated felony," making criminals out of millions of undocumented immigrant workers and family members. If convicted of this charge, an undocumented immigrant would be permanently barred from the U.S. The bill broadens the definition of "smuggling" so that anyone aiding undocumented immigrants could be fined, imprisoned, or have property confiscated. It gives the Department of Homeland Security much greater powers to deny citizenship to immigrants, and shields those decisions from court review. . The Passport and Travel Document Fraud Prevention Act, S. 524. This bill would expand the "aggravated felony" definition in the immigration law to include a wide range of passport and related document offenses. Specifically, S. 524 makes the use of any false document to gain entry into the U.S. an "aggravated felony," regardless of whether any prison sentence is imposed. Other offenses that would be considered "aggravated felonies" under this bill include false statements in an application for a passport or travel document regardless of whether any prison term is imposed; using, attempting to use, or furnishing a passport or travel document that was secured in any way by a false statement, regardless of whether any prison term is imposed; among others. National Immigration Forum, January 1, 2006-June 30, 2006 continued . Gang Deterrence and Community Protection Act of 2005, H.R. 1279. Among other things, expands the definition of a "crime of violence" and, as a result, the definition of an "aggravated felony" in the immigration code. It expands the aggravated felony definition. The bill increases the penalty for undocumented individuals who are involved in "crimes of violence" and "drug trafficking" offenses. It also encourages local enforcement of federal immigration laws by placing the names of certain immigrants into the National Crime Information Center. . Homeland Security Enhancement Act, S. 1362. Among other things, requires state and local police to enforce federal, civil immigration laws. . Clear Law Enforcement for Criminal Alien Removal (CLEAR) Act, H.R. 3137. Among other things, requires state and local police to enforce federal, civil immigration laws. .Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Bill, H.R. 5441. Among other things, funds immigration enforcement. .The Civil Liberties Restoration Act, H.R. 1502. Among other things, restores some civil liberties and due process safeguards taken from immigrants in the wake of September 11th, addressing the blanket closure of immigration hearings, automatic stays on bond determinations, evisceration of the immigration court system, the flawed and biased "Special Registration" program, and other administrative actions taken "in response to" 9/11 that have been less about security and more about tarring broad communities with a terrorist brush. . Development, Relief, and Education for Alien Minors (DREAM) Act of 2005, S. 2075. Amends the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to permit States to determine State residency for higher education purposes and to authorize the cancellation of removal and adjustment of status of certain alien students who are long-term United States residents .American Dream Act, H.R. 5131. Amends the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to permit States to determine State residency for higher education purposes and to authorize the cancellation of removal and adjustment of status of certain alien students who are long-term United States residents . The Agricultural Jobs, Opportunity, Benefits, and Security (AgJobs) Act of 2005, H.R. 884. Provides a path towards eventual legalization for undocumented agricultural workers who can prove they have worked in the agricultural industry and will continue to work in that industry. The bill also streamlines the existing foreign agricultural worker program so that agricultural employers have legal means to employ future workers. . The Agricultural Jobs, Opportunity, Benefits, and Security (AgJobs) Act of 2005, S. 359. Provides a path towards eventual legalization for undocumented

agricultural workers who can prove they have worked in the agricultural industry and will continue to work in that industry. The bill also streamlines the existing foreign agricultural worker program so that agricultural employers have legal means to employ future workers.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:
Department of Homeland Security, Domestic Policy Council, Office of Public Liaison
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
US SENATE

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

Name: DECONCINI, CHRISTINA
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: KELLEY, ANGELA
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: SHARRY, FRANCIS
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: SIVAPRASAD WADHIA, SHOBA
Covered Official Position (if applicable):
Name: TRAMONTE DELABARERR, LYNN
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: Aug 07, 2006

Printed Name and Title: Eileen Barthelmy, Director of Finance and Operatio -

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: Cardenas, Vanessa

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: Aug 07, 2006

Printed Name and Title: EILEEN BARTHELMY, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND OPERATIO -