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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name
NOW Legal Defense and Education Fund

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported
395 Hudson Street NY, NY 10014

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)
City: Same State/Zip (or Country)

4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
Sarah Parnell	212-925-6635	sparnell@nowldef.org	29664
7. Client Name ☑ Self			6. House ID # 31437000

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 ☐

$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 ☒ ⇨ $ 160,000
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

Signature _____

Printed Name and Title Sarah Parnell Director, Finance and Administration

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Registrant Name NOW Legal Defense + Educ Client Name Self

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 LAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached page

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

See attached page

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
Julie Goldscheid	Sr. Staff Attorney	☐
Andrea Williams	Staff Attorney	☐
Jacqueline Payne	Policy Attorney	☒
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☒ Check if None

Signature [signature] Date 11-30-99

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LAW

1994 Violence Against Women Act - Funding and Implementation
1998 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA II, H.R. 3514 / S. 2110)
Drafting VAWA '99
Battered Women's Shelters and Services Act (H.R. 3665)
National Domestic Violence Hotline Reauthorization (H.R. 3699)
Domestic Violence Victims' Housing (H.R. 871, S. 1128)
Stalking Prevention and Victim Protection of 1998 (H.R. 3747)
Older Women's Protection from Violence Act (H.R. 3624 / S. 2114)
Child Protection and Sexual Predator Act - VAWA Amendment (H.R. 3494)
Battered Women's Economic Security Act S. 2558
Commerce/Justice/State Appropriations (S. 2260)
    VAWA Restoration Act (Amendment 3311)
    Elder Abuse Amendment (Amendment 3312)
    Custodial Sexual Assault Amendment (defeated amendment)
VAWA Restoration Act (H.R.4291)
Hate Crimes (S. 1529/H.R. 3081)
Victims' Rights Constitutional Amendment (S.J. Res. 44)
Full Faith and Credit Enforcement Act (H.R. 935, S. 666)
Commission on Military Justice and Fairness (H.R. 1072)
The ERISA Child Abuse Accountability Act (H.R. 1142)
Whistleblower Protection Enhancement Act (H.R. 1482)
National Summit on Sports and Violence (H. Con. Res. 29)

Houses of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted/Provided Technical Assistance

House of Representatives Committee and Personal Staff
Senate Committee and Personal Staff
Department of Justice

Registrant Name NOW Legal Defense + Educ. Client Name Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached page

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

See attached page

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B. Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
Roslyn Powell	Staff Attorney	☐
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Signature [signature] Date 11-30-99

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FAMILY

S. 756, money for local communities, Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG), Head Start and Early Head Start, and loan forgiveness for child care workers
H.R. 1373, create early learning grants to states, increase funds for Head Start and Early Head Start, and expand Family and Medical Leave Act
S. 19, increased funding for CCDBG, money to expand supply of child care.
Working Families Child Care Act, House version of S. 19
H.R. 1615, raise age from 6 to 11 for children under which states could not exclude parents from welfare benefits if they could not find child care
S. 882 "After School Education and Safety Act of 1997" to provide after school care and activities for school-aged children.
S. 1309 "Early Childhod Development Act of 1997" increase CCDBG funding for Head Start programs.
S. 1492, H.R. 3028 "Healthy and Smoke Free Children Act" to use tobacco tax funds to prevent children from smoking.
S. 1577 "Caring for Children Act"
S. 1610 "Child Care A.C.C.E.S.S. Act" to expand the CCDBG.
H.R. 3150 "Bankruptcy Reform Bill"
H.R. 3637 "The Children's Development Commission Act (Kiddie Mac)" to provide low cost federal loans for the establishment of child care centers.
Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act of 1997 (H.R. 1122, S.6)
Freedom of Choice for Women in Uniformed Services (H.R. 411)
S. 1645/H.R. 3682 so-called "Child Custody Protecton Act"
DoD Authorization Act FY 97/98 (Harman/Lowey Amendment H.R 187, Murray-Snowe Amend.)
State Department Authorization Act FY 97/8 (Foreign Operations Appropriations: Smith Amendment "Mexico City" Policy)
Labor, HHS & Education Appropriations FY 97-98
1. Hyde Amendment
2. Title X Family Planning
(a) funding
(b) Conscience Clause
(c) Istook Parental Consent Amendment
Equity in Prescription Insurance & Contraceptive Coverage (S. 766, H.R. 2174)
Family Planning and Choice Protection Act of 1997 (H.R. 2525/S. 1208)
Treasury, Postal Appropriations Bill
1. Lowey Amendment (FEHB)
2. DeLauro Amendment (FEHBP)

House of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted

House of Representatives Staff
Senate Staff
White House Women's Office, Public Liaison, Domestic Policy

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☒ Check if None

Signature Sarah Parnell Date 11-30-99

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LABOR

Proposal to Increase Minimum Wage

Houses of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted

House of Representatives Staff

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached page

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

See attached page

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
Martha F Davis	Legal Director	☐
Sherry Leiwant	Sr. Staff Attorney	☐
Yolanda Wu	Staff Attorney	☐
Jacqueline Payne	Policy Attorney	☒
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Signature [signature] Date 11-30-99

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WELFARE

H.R. 4066 - Prohibition on Imposition of a Family Cap under the TANF Program
H.R. 3314 - The Fathers Count Act of 1998
Department of Health and Human Services/ Family Violence Option State Adoption
Budget Resolution - House and Senate
Budget Reconciliation - Senate
Department of Health and Human Services/ Job Retention Services
Initiatives to Track and Report Out Welfare Reform Data

Houses of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted

House of Representatives Staff
Senate Staff
White House
Department of Health and Human Services
Department of Urban Development

Registrant Name NOW Legal Defense + Ed Client Name Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached page

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

See attached page

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
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Signature [signature] Date 11-30-99

Printed Name and Title Sarah Pacnell, Director, Finance and Administration

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EDUCATION

Higher Education Act Reauthorization of 1998 (H.R.6/ S.1882)
Initiative 200 to eliminate Affirmative Action (in the State of Washington)
Riggs Amendment to aliminate Affirmative Action-federal programs (HR 3330)
ISTEA/BESTEA (HR 2400/S 1173)

- transportation bill that abolish Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program which helps women and minorities compete for construction contracts

Houses of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted:

House of Representatives Staff
Senate Staff

Registrant Name NOW legal Defense + Ed. Client Name Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

See attached page

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

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Patricia B Reuss	Sr. Policy Analyst	☐
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above ☒ Check if None

Signature S Parrell Date 11-30-99

Printed Name and Title Sarah Parrell Director, Finance and Administration

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GOV

Mollohan Amendment (HR 4276)
To support full funding for Census 2000

House of Congress and Federal Agencies Contacted:

House of Representatives Staff
Senate Staff

Registrant Name NOW Legal Defense + Educ. Client Name Self

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

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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)

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

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 [signature] Date 11-30-99

Printed Name and Title Sarah Parrell Director, Finance and Administration

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