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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant name

Organization: Dairy Farmers of America, Inc.

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported

Address1: P.O. Box 909700

City: Kansas City State: MO Zip Code: 64190-9700 Country: US

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

City State Zip Code Country

City State/Zip or Country

4a. Contact Name Prefix / Full Name	b. Telephone number	c. E-mail	5. Senate ID #
Mr. J.S. Stone	816-801-6474	sstone@dfamilk.com	47314-12

7. Client Name ☒ Self

Dairy Farmers of America, Inc.

6. House ID # 34317000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June30) ☒ OR Year End (July 1-December

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 Activ

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 ☐ ⇨ $ _____

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 were:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☒ ⇨ $ 320,000

14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate exper accounting method. See instructions for description of optio

☒ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions on

☐ **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code

☐ **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of th Revenue Code

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15. General issue area code AGR - Agriculture (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue* >

-Encouraged legislation to ensure regulatory equity among dairy farmers and processors including producers acting as milk handlers for sales of packaged fluid milk into non-federal regulated milk markets from federally regulated areas.
-Recommended our organization's nominees for the year 2005 for consideration by USDA to appointments to the National Dairy Promotion & Research Board, the National Fluid Milk Processor Promotion Board and the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion & Research Board.

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

US Senate
US House of Representatives
US Department of Agriculture

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue additing lobbyists for th*

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

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#16 continued: **Encouraged USDA and Congress to take action to activate the promotion assessment on imported dairy products that was authorized in the 2002 Farm Bill.**

Proposed legislation to improve dairy farmers deteriorating economic circumstances related to fuel cost and stabilizing farm milk prices.

Evaluated domestic animal identification proposals.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

-HR 2744, Agriculture, Rural Development, FDA & Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2006. Bills for agricultural appropriation for FY 2006.
-HR 2361, Interior Department FY 2006 Appropriations. Bill for interior and environmental appropriations for FY 2006.
-The issue of the forthcoming Budget Reconciliation for FY 2006.

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US House of Representatives

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

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue* >

-HR 884 & S 359, Ag Jobs Bill, Immigration reform for agricultural workers.

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US House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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-HR 8, Death Tax Repeal Permanency Act of 2005. To make the estate tax repeal of 2001 permanent.

-Support repeal of the alternative minimum tax (AMT).

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

US Senate
US House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code TRA - Transportation (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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-HR 3, Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users. Truck weights and drivers hours.

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US House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code TRD - Trade (Domestic & Foreign) (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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-HR 521 & S 1417, MPC & Casein Quota Tariff Bills, pending legislation to impose quota/tariff rates on imported milk protein concentrate & casein.
-HR 3045 & S 1307, Dominican Republic-Central America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act. To implement free trade between the U.S., Central America and the Dominican Republic.

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

US Senate
US House of Representatives
US Department of Agriculture

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DAIRY FARMERS OF AMERICA, INC.

TRD

#16 continued: Expressed concerns about delayed & lack of total usage of Dairy Export Incentive Program.

Made contacts about imports of blends of foreign produced non-fat dry milk and caseins that are misrepresented by exporters as legal milk protein concentrate in order to avoid tariff rate quotas.

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