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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 COURSON NICKEL, LLC

2. Address ☐ Check if different than previously reported

445 NORTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 604

City BATON ROUGE State LA Zip Code 70802 Country U

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

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| 4a. Contact Name Prefix / Full Name | b. Telephone number | c. E-mail | 5. Senate ID # |
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| Ms. Wendy Wilson | (225) 346-6900 | wendy@coursonnickel.com | 73555 |

7. Client Name ☐ Self

Murphy Oil USA

6. House ID # 35972(

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2004 Midyear (January 1-June30) ☐ OR Year End (July 1-Decemt

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

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ☒ ⇨ Termination Date 12/31/2004 11. No Lobbying A

**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 ☒ ⇨ $ 30,000

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 report were:

Less than $10,000 ☐

$10,000 or more ☐ ⇨ $

**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate ex accounting method. See instructions for description of o

☐ **Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definition

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

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

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**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which th engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each co** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

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

TAX ISSUES

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

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

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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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ENERGY ISSUES

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