

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2005-2006 Legislative Session

July-December 2006

TDS Telecom Inc

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>3.50</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>\$25,087.98</b>
Foley & Lardner LLP			\$19,999.98
Ray Carey	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Kathleen Walby	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Strohl & Associates			\$5,088.00
Joseph Strohl	3.50	1.00	\$0.00
Comments:	Foley and Lardner is contracted on a straight retainer basis regardless of hours worked.		
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>36.25</b>	<b>\$4,785.57</b>
Andrew S Petersen	17.00	36.25	\$4,785.57
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$1,435.67</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$1,866.37</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>20.50 Hours</b>	<b>37.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$33,175.59</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>30%</b>
Assembly Bill 181	5 %
Assembly Bill 195	10 %
Senate Bill 111	10 %
Senate Bill 116	5 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>61%</b>
Regulation of wholesale services offered by incumbent carriers to competitive carriers, namely pricing and service quality	10 %
Regulatory treatment of Internet Protocol products and services including voice and video offerings.	5 %

Tax Credit for the deployment of broadband services in rural/underserved areas of Wisconsin.	25 %
Promotion of telecommunications tax reform.	15 %
Regulatory agency appointments.	6 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>9%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Friday, January 26, 2007**

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

#### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Andrew S. Petersen and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of TDS Telecom Inc.

I further understand that if I know or believe that the records I submit are not complete or that any part of it is not true, I may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for 5 years or both. I understand that Wisconsin Statutes require me to retain until 3 years from the date that the records are filed documents necessary to substantiate these reports.