

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2007-2008 Legislative Session

July-December 2008

BNSF Railway

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	2.00	15.00	\$20,504.06
Samuel Gratz			\$10,740.26
Samuel Gratz	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Strohl & Associates			\$9,763.80
Joseph Strohl	2.00	15.00	\$0.00
Comments:	Sam Gratz is a lobbyist on retainer - paid even though no reportable lobbying hours incurred.		
In-House Lobbyists	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$0.00
Overhead²			\$0.00
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	2.00 Hours	15.00 Hours	\$20,504.06

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	0%
Budget Bill Subjects	0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	0%
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	100%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Friday, January 23, 2009

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Fringe benefits are automatically calculated as 30% of salary. Overhead is automatically calculated as 30% of salary plus fringe. If you wish to manually calculate fringe benefits and overhead, click the Calculate Fringe and Overhead button below:

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Wis. Stats. 13.68(d): Reimbursement to officials.

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Paul Nowicki and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of BNSF Railway.

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.