

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2007-2008 Legislative Session

July-December 2007

## Timber Producers Association of Michigan & Wisconsin Inc

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>33.75</b>	<b>141.25</b>	<b>\$18,400.00</b>
O'Connor Communications			\$18,400.00
Gunnar Bergersen	33.75	141.25	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Gene Francisco	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>5.50</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>\$213.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$63.90</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$83.07</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$406.00
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>39.25 Hours</b>	<b>142.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$19,165.97</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>30%</b>
Assembly Bill 164			5 %
Assembly Bill 238			5 %
Assembly Bill 479			5 %
Assembly Bill 607			5 %
Senate Bill 28			5 %
Senate Bill 33			5 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>5%</b>
NR 1.25, authorize contracting with private cooperating foresters for services to establish state land timber harvests.			5 %
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>65%</b>
Definition of forest management practices			5 %
Forest labor categories -- Workers Comp			45 %

Forest, health, management and timber supply on state and privately owned lands.	5 %
Highway Load Limits	5 %
Organizational structure supporting Division of forestry.	5 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Thursday, January 31, 2008**

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

**Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Gunnar Bergersen and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Timber Producers Association of Michigan & Wisconsin 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.