

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2007-2008 Legislative Session

January-June 2007

BEST Energies, Inc

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	40.10	23.60	\$14,900.60
DeWitt Ross & Stevens SC			\$14,900.60
Ronald W Kuehn	33.90	10.40	\$0.00
Jordan Lamb	6.20	13.20	\$0.00
Comments:			
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:	40.10 Hours	23.60 Hours	\$14,900.60
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			0%
Budget Bill Subjects			30%
Commerce: Departmentwide and Economic Development			30 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			2%
NR 243, regulations for animal feeding operations.			2 %
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			68%
Biomass management zone development			20 %
Bonding for biomass projects			5 %
Grants for biomass projects			10 %
New technology compliance alternatives for all ATCP and DNR rules			5 %
Alternative fuels development			20 %
Biosciences grant program			8 %
Minor Efforts			0%
All Other Matters			0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:			100%

Report Certified On: Sunday, July 29, 2007

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Ronald W. Kuehn and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of BEST Energies, 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.