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## LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name Twenty-First Century Group, Inc				
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 434 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.				
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, State/Zip (or Country) D.C. 20003				
4. Contact Name	Erin Elder	Telephone	(202) 488-2800	E-mail (optional)
				5. Senate ID# 38687-12
7. Client Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Self GTE			6. House ID# 33675000

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year- 1999 Midyear (January 1 - June 30) **OR** Year End (July 1 - December 31)

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

10. Check if this is a Termination Report  Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying Activity

### 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  \$ 40,000

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 reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more  \$

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

- Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only  
 Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 (b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code  
 Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title Erin Elder, Manager of Congressional Affairs

Registrant Name: Twenty-First Century Group, Inc Client Name: GTE

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

15. General issue area code TEC (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

FCC Reauthorization  
Universal Service  
E-rate  
GTE/Bell Atlantic Merger  
H.R. 2420, "Internet Freedom and Broadband Deployment Act"  
H.R. 1686, "Internet Freedom Act"  
H.R. 1685, "Internet Growth and Development Act of 1999"  
Broadband deployment  
Internet Deregulation

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

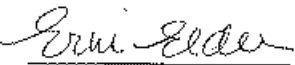
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18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position	New
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Jack Fields		
Cyndy Wilkinson		
Erin Elder		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

Signature  Date 2-14-00

Printed Name and Title Erin Elder, Manager of Congressional Affairs

Form F.D-2 (Rev (1/99))