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## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name

Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP

2. Address  Check if different than previously reported

3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300

4. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)

City: Washington

State/Zip (or Country)

D.C. 20007

5. Contact Name

Telephone

E-mail (optional)

6. Senate ID #

Gary Slaiman

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7. Client Name  Self

Century Telephone Enterprises, Inc.

6. House ID #

31419056

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2000 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 13

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more   \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Income (nearest \$20,000)

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   \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

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: Gary Slaiman

Printed Name and Title: Gary Slaiman, Partner

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Registration Name Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, L.L.P. Client Name Century Telephone Enterprises, Inc.

**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

Monitoring of legislation and other issues pertaining to internet regulation, truth-in-billing and other telecommunications matters.

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

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

Check if None

Signature Henry Sloan Date 2/13/01

Printed Name and Title Gary Slaiman, Partner

Form L.D.-2 (Rev. 6/98)

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