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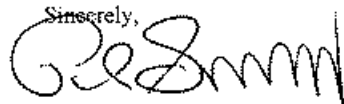
Secretary of the Senate
Office of Public Records
232 Hart Building
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RE: ID# 35387-140

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and copy of an amended semiannual Lobbying Report for Simon Strategies, LLC regarding lobbying activities on behalf of the OpenNet Coalition. Please file the original and stamp and return the copy to the messenger.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Paul Smolinsky

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Enclosure

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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Simon Strategies, LLC			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 2100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW - Suite 535 Washington, DC 20037			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Gregory C. Simon	Telephone (202) 822-1700	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 35387-140
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self OpenNet Coalition	6. House ID # 33799-013		

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 Line 13	
<p style="text-align: center;">12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → <u>\$120,000.00</u> <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>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).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> → _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature *Gregory C. Simon*
 Printed Name and Title Gregory C. Simon - President and CEO

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 TEC (one per page) code

16. Specific lobbying issues

Congress: Provisions in H.R. 1685 and H.R. 1686 which would require cable broadband networks to provide open access to non-affiliated Internet service providers.
 FCC/White House/Congress/Commerce Department (NTIA): Advocacy in support of establishment of a national policy requiring all cable broadband networks to provide open access to non-affiliated Internet service providers.


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

Federal Communications Commission
 White House
 Department of Commerce
 House of Representatives
 Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Gregory C. Simon	Chf Dom Policy Adv, OVP	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kristan Van Hook	Dir of Cong Aff, NTIA, DOC	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ann Morton	Leg Couns - Rep. Boucher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Christopher Ulrich		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature  Date 1/23/01
 Printed Name and Title Gregory C. Simon - President and CEO