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**LOBBYING REPORT**

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

1. Registrant Name Cohn and Marks, Attorneys at Law			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Suite 300, 1920 N Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036-1622			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Same as above State/Zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name Richard M. Schmidt, Jr.	Telephone (202) 293-3860	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 9831-24
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self American Society of Newspaper Editors			6. House ID # 32058001

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2001 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

<b>INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13</b>	
<p><b>12. Lobbying Firms</b></p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____  <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><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____  <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> 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 [Signature]  
 Printed Name and Title Richard M. Schmidt, Jr., Of Counsel

Registrant Name Cohn and Marks Client Name American Society of Newspaper Editors

**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 CON (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. Res 36 - Proposed constitutional amendment to prohibit the desecration of the United States flag.

S.J. Res 7 - Proposed constitutional amendment which prohibits physical desecration of the U.S. flag.

H.R. 2312 - Statute which prohibits physical desecration of U.S. flag.

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

U.S. House of Representatives  
U.S. Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Richard M. Schmidt, Jr.	Of Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kevin M. Goldberg	Associate	<input 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 July 25, 2001

Printed Name and Title Richard M. Schmidt, Jr., Of Counsel

Registrant Name Cohn and Marks Client Name American Society of Newspaper Editors

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2435 - Cyber Security Information Act

S. 792 - Media Marketing Accountability Act

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

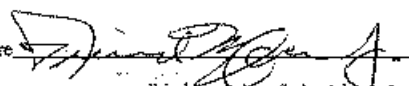
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