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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name United States Telecom Association			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1401 H Street, NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)			
City:	State/zip (or Country)		
4. Contact Name J. Brad Edwards	Telephone (202) 326-7292	E-mail (optional) bedwards@usta.org	5. Senate ID # 38847-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self SELF			6. House ID # 3070300

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-

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 Lot

INCOME OR EXPENSES Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p 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"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)</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 align="center">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>4,380,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$:)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA de</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature J. Brad Edwards Date 8/14/03

Printed Name and Title J. Brad Edwards, Vice President of Government Affairs

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 1582 - Universal Service Fairness Act of 2003
HR 107 - Digital Media Consumers' Rights Act of 2003
S 1380 - Rural Universal Service Equity Act of 2003
S 1234 - Federal Trade Commission Reauthorization Act of 2003
S 1264 - Federal Communications Commission, FY2004-FY2007 Authorization bill

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

US House of Representatives
US Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Walter B McCormick, Jr	
Daniel Phythyon	
J. Brad Edwards	
Kathryn L. Anderson	
Sarah Versaggi	
Lisbeth Lyons	

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

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FY 04 Agriculture Appropriations Bill (RUS Funding)
S 1293 - Criminal Spam Act of 2003
S 877 - CAN-SPAM Act of 2003
HR 2214 - Reduction of SPAM bill

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Government Owned Telecommunications Networks in Competition with Private Sector Telecommunications Networks
Congressional oversight of the FCC's implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996; including universal
service; Interconnection; Deployment of Advanced Services; Local Telecommunications competition; and Triennial
Review order.

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

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HR 21 - Unlawful Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 2706 - To clarify the treatment of tax attributes under section 108 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 for taxpayers which file consolidated returns.
S 1331 - A bill to clarify the treatment of tax attributes under section 108 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 for taxpayers which file consolidated returns.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

HR 8 - Estate Tax bill
 S 13 - Death Tax Fairness Act of 2003
 S 169 - Permanent Death Tax Repeal Act of 2003
 HR 2 - Jobs and Economic Growth bill

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

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Department of Transportation's Hours of Service rule of utility service vehicles in the 2004 Appropriations Bill

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____
 22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the cli

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ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant or affiliated organization

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