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# LOBBYING REPORT 14 1

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

1. Registrant Name Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP			
2. Address ~ Check if different than previously reported 1909 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20006			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name	John P. Schmitz	Telephone	202-263-3235 E-mail (optional)
			5. Senate ID 24123-975
7. Client Name ~ Self	Bertelsmann AG		8. House ID 31349-075

**TYPE OF REPORT**      8. Year 2004     Midyear (January 1-June 30)    **OR**     Year End (July 1-Dec)

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

## INCOME OR EXPENSES — Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p align="center"><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      ~ 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"><b>13. Organizations</b></p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000      ~</p> <p>\$10,000 or more      ~ , _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p><b>14. REPORTING METHOD.</b> Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for descriptive reporting method.</p> <p>~ <b>Method A.</b> Reporting amounts using LDA disclosure method</p> <p>~ <b>Method B.</b> Reporting amounts under section 170(e)(2)(B) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p>~ <b>Method C.</b> Reporting amounts under section 170(e)(2)(C) Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature John P. Schmitz

Printed Name and Title John P. Schmitz, Partner



Registrant Name John P. Schmitz Client Name Bertelsmann AG

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues  
S. 2560

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted ~ Check if None  
U.S. Senate, U.S. House of Representatives

Name	Covered Office Position (if applicable)
John P. Schmitz	
Martina Simpkins	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above. - Check if None  
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title John P. Schmitz

