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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Venable LLP			
2. Registrant Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 575 7th Street, NW City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20004 USA			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Robert Garcia	Telephone 202-344-4628	E-mail (optional) rgarcia@venable.com	5. Senate ID # 39941-253
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Verizon			6. House ID # 31958-030

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2003 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 Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$240,000.00</u> 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>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"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033 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 Robert Garcia Date 2/12/2004

Printed Name and Title Robert Garcia - Senior Advisor Page

Registrant Name: Venable LLP

Client Name: Verizon

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 COM (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
No specific Bill, Communications Issues,

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted
House of Representatives
Senate

Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Cook, William P.	
Field, Matthew	
Garcia, Robert	Congressman
Huey, Erik V.	
Lungren, Daniel E.	
Olchyk, Sam	Legislation Counsel, Joint Committee on Taxation
Pavliek, John	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

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Signature *Robert Garcia* Date 2/12/2004

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Registrant Name: **Venable LLP**

Client Name: **Verizon**

Item	Description	Data
18a	Lobbyist Name	Pearson, Rebecca
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	Seher, John F.
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	Sutcliffe, Sydney M.
18b	Covered Official Position	Legislative Assistant, Congressman Ed Whitfield
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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

16. Specific Lobbying issues
No specific Bill, Telecommunications Issues,

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted
House of Representatives
Senate

Check if None

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Cook, William P.	
Field, Matthew	
Garcia, Robert	Congressman
Huey, Erik V.	
Lungren, Daniel E.	
Olchyk, Sam	Legislation Counsel, Joint Committee on Taxation
Pavlick, John	

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18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	Yes
18a	Lobbyist Name	Slaughter, Kenneth
18b	Covered Official Position	
18c	New Lobbyist	No
18a	Lobbyist Name	Sutcliffe, Sydney M.
18b	Covered Official Position	Legislative Assistant, Congressman Ed Whitfield
18c	New Lobbyist	No

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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 client

- Bayh, Birch**
- Civiletti, Benjamin R.**
- Cook, William P.**
- Grunberg, Nancy**

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)

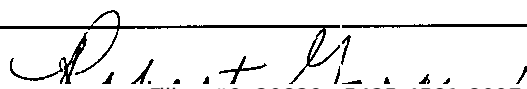
26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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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23	Lobbyist Update	Lungren, Daniel E.
23	Lobbyist Update	Quinn, Thomas H.
23	Lobbyist Update	Seher, John F.
23	Lobbyist Update	Slaughter, Kenneth
23	Lobbyist Update	Sutcliffe, Sydney M.

