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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name <u>SEGUNDO MERCADO-LLORENS</u>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>11 SECOND STREET, N.E. #207 WASHINGTON, D.C. 2</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: <u>ND</u> State/Zip (or Country)			
4. Contact Name <u>SEGUNDO MERCADO-LLORENS</u>	Telephone <u>202-543-1146</u>	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self <u>VENEZUELA INFORMATION OFFICE</u>			6. House ID #

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">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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> → \$ <u>24,000</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 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"/></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 603 Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Printed Name and Title SEGUNDO MERCADO-LLORENS

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Registrant Name SEGUNDO MERCADO- LLORENS Client Name VENEZUELA INFORMATICA

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

ROLE OF NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR DEMOCRACY IN VENEZUELAN POLITICS

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
UNITED STATES SENATE

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
<u>SEGUNDO MERCADO- LLORENS</u>	

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

IT APPEARED TO VENEZUELA FROM DOCUMENTS OBTAINED BY FOIA THAT NED HAD GIVEN CONTACT TO COUP LEADERS

Signature [Signature] Date AUGUST 10,

Printed Name and Title SEGUNDO MERCADO- LLORENS

