

LOBBYING REPORT

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

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1. Registrant Name Covington & Burling			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported. 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., P.O. Box 7566			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)			
City: Washington		State/Zip (or Country) D.C. 20044	
4. Contact Name Roderick A. DeArment	Telephone 202-662-5900	Email (optional) rdearment@cov.com	5. Senate ID # 11195-327
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self GTE Corporation	6. House ID # 31827016		

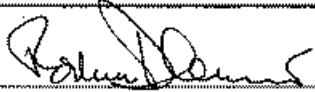
TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year **1999** Midyear (January 1-June 30) ☐ OR Year End (July 1-December 31) ☒

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 ☒

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income for the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client.)	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature  Date **February 11, 2000**
Printed Name and Title **Roderick A. DeArment**

Registrant Name

Covington & Burling

Client Name

GTE Corporation

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 TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Corporate tax issues generally and the taxation of corporate-owned life insurance

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

☐ Check if None

Senate

House of Representatives

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Roderick A. DeArment	Partner	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<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

Printed Name and Title

Roderick A. DeArment

Date

February 11, 2000