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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Software & Information Industry Association			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1730 M Street, NW, Suite 700			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington State/Zip (or Country): DC 20036			
4. Contact Name	Telephone	Email (optional)	5. Senate ID #
David P. LeDuc	(202) 452-1600 ext. 352	dleduc@siaa.net	48873-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. Senate ID # 4561000		

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 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

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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 type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> → \$ _____ <small>Income (net of \$10,000)</small>	\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → \$ 371,293 <small>Expenses (net of \$10,000)</small>
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$10,000, 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)	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)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 1637e of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature: 

Printed Name and Title: David P. LeDuc, Manager, Legislative Policy

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 838/ S. 456 -- Information Technology Training Tax Credit

Internet Taxation

H.R. 3709 -- Internet Nondiscrimination Act, contains five-year extension of the current moratorium as passed by the Judiciary Committee on May 4, 2000.

H.R. 4267 -- Internet Tax Reform and Reduction Act of 2000

S. 2255 -- To amend the Internet Freedom Act to extend the moratorium through 2006.

S. 3401 -- New Economy Tax Simplification Act (NEFSA)

S. 2775 -- Internet Tax Moratorium and Equity Tax.

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

U.S. House of Representatives

U.S. Senate

U.S. Treasury Department

Executive Office of the President of the United States

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

Name	Current Official Position (if applicable)	New
David P. LeDuc	Manager, Public Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-Commerce Lobbyist	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interests of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature *David P. LeDuc* Date 8/14/00

Printed Name and Title David P. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

Form 277e (9-99)

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

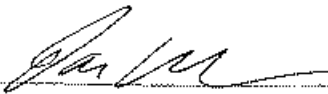
16. Specific lobbying issues
5. 2603 -- Legislative Branch Appropriations
Title 44 USC Reform
Government Information Policy

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
U.S. Government Printing Office
Office of Management and Budget
General Services Administration

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

Name	Governmental Position (if applicable)	New
David P. LeDuc	Manager, Public Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each party present in the specific issue listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature  Date 8/14/00
Print Name David P. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues H.R. 2644 -- Personal Data Privacy Act of 1999
 H.R. 850 -- Security and Freedom through Encryption (SAFE) Act
 H.R. 2616 -- Encryption for the National Interest Act
 H.R. 2617 -- Tax Relief for Responsible Encryption Act of 1999
 S. 798 -- Promote Reliable On-Line Transactions to Encourage Commerce and Trade (PROTECT) Act of 1999
 H.R. 854 -- Low Income Medicare Beneficiary Assistance Act of 1999
 S. 809 -- Online Privacy Protection Act of 1999
 H.R. 10 -- Financial Services Act of 1999
 H.R. 1858 -- Consumer and Investor Access to Information Act of 1999

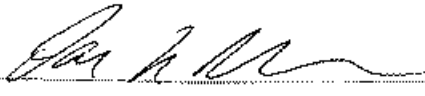
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department of Justice
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- U.S. Department of State
- Federal Trade Commission

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

Name	Covered Official Position (If applicable)	New
Ken Waach	President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lauren Hall	Executive Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-Commerce Lobbyist	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Amount of each firm's payment to the specific issue listed on line 18 above Check if None

Signature:  Date: 8/14/00

Printed name of signatory: David P. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 1714 -- Electric Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act
- H.R. 1572 -- Digital Signature Act of 1999
- S. 761 -- Third Millennium Electronic Commerce Act
- H.R. 1320 -- Millenium Digital Commerce Act
- H.R. 2413 -- Computer Security Enhancement Act of 1999

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

Check if None


- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department of Justice
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- U.S. Department of State
- Federal Trade Commission
- Executive Office of the President
- Office of the Vice President of the U.S.

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Lauren Hall	Executive Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
David P. LeDuc	Manager, Grassroots and Legislative Policy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each of the primary or the specific issues listed on the form

Check if None

Signature:  Date: 8/14/00
 Name of lobbyist: David P. LeDuc, Manager, Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 1685 -- Internet Growth and Development Act of 1999
- H.R. 1686 -- Internet Freedom Act
- H.R. 2637 -- Consumer and Community Choice in Access Act of 1999
- Software Industry Competition

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

Check if None

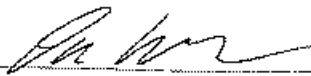
- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- Federal Communications Commission

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

Name	Current Official Position (if any)	View
Kenneth Wasch	President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lauren Hall	Executive Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of or in foreign entity in the specific issue(s) listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature:  Date: 8/14/00
 Printed Name: David P. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S. 2045 -- American Competition in the 21st Century Act
- H.R. 3983 -- Helping to Improve Technology Education and Achievement Act of 1999
- H.R. 3814 -- Technology Workers Temporary Relief Act
- S. 1440 -- H.R. 2698 -- New Workers for Economic Growth Act
- S. 1649 -- Helping Improve Technology Education and Competitiveness Act
- H.R. 2657 -- Bringing Resources from Academia to the Industry of our Nation Act
- H-1B Visas
- Accessibility Standards/ Section 505

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

Check if None

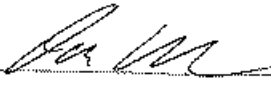
- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department of Justice
- Executive Office of the President

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
David P. LeDuc	Manager, Public Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lauren Hall	Executive Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each firm or entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above

Check if None

Signature:  Date: 8/14/02
 Printed Name: David P. LeDuc, Manager, Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues
 H.R. 2915, S. 1908 -- Student Privacy Protection Act
 H.R. 4141 -- Education OPTIONS Act
 H.R. 2 Student Results Act
 S. 2254 -- Public Education Reinvestments, Reinvention, and Responsibility Act
 PL 105-227 -- Childrens On-line Privacy Act of 1998
 S. 97 -- Children's Internet Protection Act
 H.R. 2560 -- The Teacher Empowerment Act
 S. 2045 -- American Competition in the 21st Century Act
 H.R. 3983 -- Helping to Improve Technology Education & Competitiveness Act

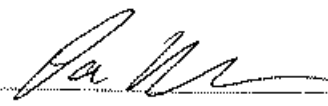
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department of Justice
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- U.S. Department of Education
- Federal Communications Commission
- Federal Trade Commission

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Melinda George	Manager, Education Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
David P. LeDuc	Manager, Legislative Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Schneiderman	Director, Federal Education Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. In what capacity did you act in the specific issue listed on line 18 above Check if None

Signature  Date 8/14/00
 Name and Title David P. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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15. General issue area code B310 (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4577 & S. 2553 -- FY 2003 Labor, Health and Human Services, & Education Appropriations Bi

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

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Executive Office of the President of the United States
U.S. Department of Education
Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Mark Schneiderman	Director, Federal Education Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Melinda George	Manager, Education Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each lobbyist entity in the specific issue area (see line 15) to show Check if None

Signature [Signature] Date 8/14/06
For Chairman: David P. Ledue, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2100 -- The Antitampering Act of 1999

Request for Comments on the agenda and issues to be addressed by the National Intellectual Property Coordination Center.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Roundtable Discussion on Business Method Patents

Proposed Amendments to section 285.3 of the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines as required by the "The No Electronic Theft Act Directive".

S. 1835 -- Intellectual Property Protection Restoration Act of 1999

H.R. 4351 -- the "SECURITY Interests in Copyright System Financing Preservation Act"

PTO Office Funding (hr 4034)

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

Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives

Federal Trade Commission

U.S. Senate

U.S. Sentencing Commission

U.S. Copyright Office

U.S. Department of Justice

U.S. Department of the Treasury

Office of the U.S. Trade Representative

Executive Office of the President of the United States

United States Department of Commerce

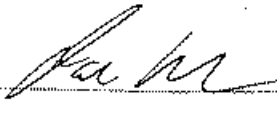
18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Current Official Position (if applicable)	New
Ken Masch	President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keith Kupferschmid	Intellectual Property Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each lobbyist acting in the specific issue area for this issue

Check if None

Signature



Date

8/14/00

Print Name and Title: David P. LeBus, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 354 -- The Collection of Information Antipiracy Act
- H.R. 1858 -- The Consumer and Investor Access to Information Act of 1999
- U.S. Copyright Office (1) proceedings on possible Exemptions to Prohibition on Circumvention of Copyright Protection Systems for Access Control Technologies under the DMCA (2),
- (1) rule making relating to section 1201 (a)(1) .. and
- (2) Section 104 study on the effect of emerging technologies on section 109 and 117 of the Copyright Act.

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

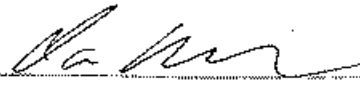
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- U.S. House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Copyright Office
- U.S. Department of the Treasury
- Office of the U.S. Trade Representative
- Executive office of the President of the United States
- United States Department of Commerce
- Federal Trade Commission
- U.S. Sentencing Department
- U.S. Department of Justice

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Ken Masch	President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keith Kupferschmid	Intellectual Property Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-commerce Lobbyist	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. If listed on each page, please list the specific issue area of the lobbyist Check if None

Signature:  Date: 8/14/00
 Name and Title: David E. LeDuc, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 4444 --
Information Technology Agreement II
WTO Accession for China
Government Use of Legal Software
Preparation for WTO Ministerial Meeting

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

Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Office of the U.S. Trade Representative
U.S. Department of Commerce
U.S. Copyright Office

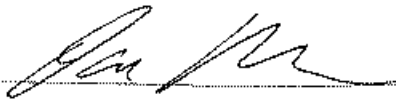
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Lauren Hall	Executive Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keith Kupferschmid	Intellectual Property Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ted Karle	e-Commerce Lobbyist	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Instances of each lobby group in the specific issue area covered by 18 above

Check if None

Signature



Date

8/14/00

Print Name: Mr. David E. LeBue, Manager Legislative Policy and Grassroots

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