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LOBBYING REPORT

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1. Registrant name			
BellSouth Corporation			
2. Address		<input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported	
1133 21st Street		Suite 900	
Washington	DC	20036	US
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)			
Atlanta	GA	30309	US
City	State/Zip or Country		
4a. Contact Name	4b. Telephone number	4c. E-mail	5. Senate ID #
Mr. Bennett L. Ross	(202) 463-4113	bennett.ross@bellsouth.com	5905-12
7. Client Name	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self		6. House ID #
BellSouth Corporation			3168200

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2006 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)

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 Acti

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p style="text-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 type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</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 style="text-align: center;">13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>3,294,777</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of opti</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8), Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of t Revenue Code</p>
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Printed Name and Title Bennett L. Ross, General Counsel - DC, BellSouth DC, Inc.

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LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the 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 TAX - Taxation/Internal Revenue Code (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 1066. Economic Development Act of 2005. A bill to authorize the States (and subdivisions thereof), the District of Columbia, territories, and possessions of the United States to provide certain tax incentives to any person for economic development purposes. All provisions related to telecom.
H.R. 2471. Economic Development Act of 2005. To authorize the States (and subdivisions thereof), the District of Columbia, territories, and possessions of the United States to provide certain tax incentives to any person for economic development purposes. All provisions related to telecom.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted None House Senate Other

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

Name		Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Herschel	Abbott	
David	Barron	
Lyndon	Boozer	
Troup	Coronado	
Eileen	McCaughey	
Gregg	Morton	
Ward	White	
Broderick	Johnson	

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

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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area TAX

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

S. 1321. Telephone Excise Tax Repeal Act of 2005. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to the excise tax on telephone and other communications services. All provisions.

H.R. 1898. Telephone Excise Tax Repeal Act of 2005. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on telephone and other communications services. All provisions.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 1504. Broadband Investment and Consumer Choice Act. A bill to establish a market driven telecommunications marketplace, to eliminate government managed competition of existing communication service, and to provide parity between functionally equivalent services. All provisions.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted None House Senate Other

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

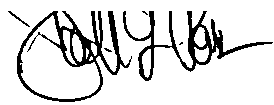
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Herschel Abbott	
David Barron	
Lyndon Boozer	
Troup Coronado	
Eileen McCaughey	
Gregg Morton	
Ward White	
Broderick Johnson	
Bennett Ross	

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

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- S. 2113. Digital Age Communications Act of 2005. A bill to promote the widespread availability of communication services and the integrity of communication facilities, and to encourage investment in communication network provisions.
- S. 1063. IP-Enabled Voice Communications and Public Safety Act of 2005. A bill to promote and enhance public safety and to encourage the rapid deployment of IP-enabled voice services. All provisions.
- S. 284. Rural Universal Service Equity Act of 2005. To distribute universal service support equitably through rural America, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 1349. Video Choice Act of 2005. A bill to promote deployment of competitive video services, eliminate redundant and unnecessary regulation, and further the development of next generation broadband network provisions.
- S. 1294. Community Broadband Act of 2005. A bill to amend the Telecommunications Act of 1996 to preserve and protect the ability of local governments to provide broadband capability and services. All provisions.
- S. 1583. Universal Service for the 21st Century Act. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to expand the contribution base for universal service, establish a separate account within the universal service fund to support the deployment of broadband service in unserved areas of the United States, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 241. Snowe Antideficiency Act. A bill to amend section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934 to provide that funds received as universal service contributions and the universal service support programs established pursuant to that section are not subject to certain provisions of title 31, United States Code, commonly known as the Antideficiency Act. All provisions.
- S. 2256. Internet and Universal Service Act of 2006. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to ensure the availability to all Americans of high-quality, advanced telecommunications and broadband services, technologies, and networks at just, reasonable, and affordable rates, and to establish a permanent mechanism to guarantee specific, sufficient, and predictable support for the preservation and advancement of universal service and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 2360. Internet Non-Discrimination Act of 2006. A bill to ensure and promote a free and open Internet for all Americans. All provisions.
- S. 2686. Communications, Consumer's Choice, and Broadband Deployment Act of 2006. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 2917. Internet Freedom Preservation Act. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to ensure network neutrality. All provisions.
- S. 2989. Franchise Reform Act of 2006. A bill to reform the franchise procedure relating to cable service and public safety, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- H.R. 3146. Video Choice Act of 2005. A bill to promote deployment of competitive video services and eliminate redundant and unnecessary regulation. All provisions.
- H.R. 2726. Preserving Innovation in Telecom Act of 2005. A bill to prohibit municipal governments from offering telecommunications, information, or cable services except to remedy market failures by private enterprise to provide such services. All provisions.
- H.R. 2418. IP-Enabled Voice Communications and Public Safety Act of 2005. A bill to promote and enhance public safety and to encourage the rapid deployment of IP-enabled voice services. All provisions.
- H.R. 2533. Cubin Antideficiency Act. A bill to amend section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934 to provide that funds received as universal service contributions and the universal service support programs established pursuant to that section are not subject to certain provisions of title 31, United States Code, commonly known as the Antideficiency Act. All provisions.
- H.R. 5072. Universal Service Reform Act of 2006. A bill to reform the universal service provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- H.R. 5252. Communications Opportunity, Promotion, and Enhancement Act of 2006. A bill to promote the deployment of broadband networks and services. All provisions.

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16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

- H.R. 5417. Internet Freedom and Nondiscrimination Act of 2006. A bill to amend the Clayton Act with respect to competitive and nondiscriminatory access to the Internet. All provisions.
- H.R. 5273. Network Neutrality Act of 2006. A bill to promote open broadband networks and innovation, foster electronic commerce, and safeguard consumer access to online content and services. All provisions.
- S. 2389. Protecting Consumer Phone Records Act. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit the unlawful acquisition and use of confidential customer proprietary network information, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 2264. Consumer Phone Record Security Act of 2006. A bill to provide enhanced consumer protection from unauthorized sales and use of confidential telephone information by amending the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit certain practices, and providing for enforcement by the Federal Trade Commission and States, and for other purposes. All provisions.
- S. 2177. Phone Records Protection Act of 2006. A bill to make the sale or fraudulent transfer of telephone records a criminal offense. All provisions.
- S. 2178. Consumer Telephone Records Protection Act of 2006. A bill to make the stealing and selling of telephone records a criminal offense. All provisions.
- H.R.4943. Prevention of Fraudulent Access to Phone Records Act. A bill to prohibit fraudulent access to telephone records. All provisions.
- H.R. 4709. Telephone Records and Privacy Protection Act of 2006. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to strengthen protections for law enforcement officers and the public by providing criminal penalties for the fraudulent acquisition or unauthorized disclosure of phone records. All provisions.
- H.R. 4657. Secure Telephone Operations Act of 2006. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent the selling of telephone customer proprietary network information. All provisions.
- H.R. 4662. Consumer Telephone Records Protection Act of 2006. A bill to prohibit the obtaining of customer information from telecommunications carriers by false pretenses, and the sale or disclosure of such records obtained by false pretenses. All provisions.
- H.R. 4714. Phone Records Protection Act of 2006. A bill to make the sale or fraudulent transfer of telephone records a criminal offense. All provisions.
- H.R. 4678. Stop Attempted Fraud Against Everyone's Cell and Land Line (SAFE CALL) Act. A bill to prohibit fraudulent access to telephone records. All provisions.

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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 than line 20)

City

State/Zip

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

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ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues 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

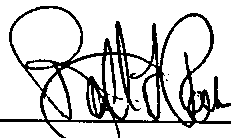
FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owr perc clien

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, or affiliated organization

Signature



Date

8/14/2006

Printed Name and Title Bennett L. Ross, General Counsel - DC, BellSouth DC, Inc.

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