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### LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name Snow Communications, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 999 N 2nd St., Suite 300, Mpls MN 55401			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)			
City:	State/zip (or Country)		
4. Contact Name Joshua Schneck	Telephone (612) 337-0747	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID #
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self Hormel Foods			6. House ID #

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2004 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 Lobby

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

**12. Lobbying Firms**

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more  ⇨ \$ 20,000.00  
Income (nearest \$20,000)

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).

**13. Organizations**

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000

\$10,000 or more  ⇨ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenses (nearest \$20,000)

**14. REPORTING METHOD.** Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of method.

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6113 Internal Revenue Code

Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) Internal Revenue Code

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date 8-19-04

✓ Printed Name and Title: Joshua D Schmitt, LCU

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LD-2 (REV. 4/03)

Registrant Name Snow Communications, Inc. Client Name Hormel Foods

**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 cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

Military appropriations 2004, RDT&E - ARMY - CERP - Casting Emissions Reduction Program  
H.R. 2658  
S. 1389

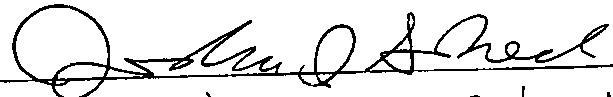
17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None

House and Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Joshua Schneck	

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

Signature  Date 8-17-04

Name and Title Joshua J. Schneck, CEO

