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LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name

NATIONAL CABLE TELEVISION ASSOCIATION

2. Address Check if different than previously reported

1724 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, NW, WASHINGTON D.C. 20036

3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2)

4. Contact Name	Telephone	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID#
MARIAH G. MCGUINNESS	202-775-3651	MMCGUINNESS@NCTA.COM	27354-12
7. Client Name X Self			6. House ID #
SELF			30595000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 Midyear (January 1-June 30) X **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

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
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 for this reporting period were:

Less than $10,000

$10,000 or more
Expenses (nearest $20,000) **$1,540,000**

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

Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

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

Signature Robert J. Sachs

Printed Name and Title Robert J. Sachs, President and CEO, National Cable Television Association

Registrant Name National Cable Television Association Client Name Self

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. Attached additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

**Please see attached list.

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

House, Senate, White House and FCC

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Robert Sachs, President and CEO		X
Pamela J. Turner, Vice President, Government		
Daniel Craig, Director, Legislative Policy		
Valerie F. Pinson, Director, Government Relations		
Lois O. Richerson, Director, Government Relations		
Wanda E. Townsend, Director, Government Relations		
Daniel L. Brenner, V.P., Law & Reg.Policy		
Diane B. Burstein, Depty. General Counsel		
Neal M. Goldberg, General Counsel		
David Nicholl, Assoc. General Counsel		
Loretta Polk, Assoc. General Counsel		
Lisa Shoenthaler, Director & Counsel		

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

Not applicable

Signature Robert J. Sachs Date August 16, 1999

Printed Name and Title Robert Sachs, President and CEO, National Cable Television Association

Registrant Name NCTA Client Name Self

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City State/Zip (or Country)

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

Decker Anstrom

Kathleen S. Ireland

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported 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	Ownership percentage in client

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

Signature R. L. + J. Sachs Date August 16, 1999

Printed Name and Title Robert J. Sachs, President and CEO

Lobbying Report: Bills (through August 1999)

H.R. 768, Copyright Compulsory License Improvement Act

H.R. 851, Save our Satellites Act of 1999

H.R. 1027, Satellite Television Improvement Act

H.R. 1078, TV Consumer Freedom Act

H.R. 1291, Internet Access Charge Prohibition Act of 1999

H.R. 1312, Cable Rate Moratorium Act

H.R. 1554, Satellite Copyright Compulsory License Improvement Act of 1999

H.R. 1556, Prevention of School Violence Act of 1999

H.R. 1685, Internet Growth and Development Act of 1999

H.R. 1686, Internet Freedom Act

H.R. 2036, the Children's Defense Act of 1999

H.R. 2240, the Internet Freedom and Broadband Deployment Act of 1999

S. 247, Copyright and Compulsory License Improvement Act

S. 303, Satellite Television Act of 1999

S. 876, Children's Protection from Violent Programming Act

S. 877, Broadband Internet Regulatory Relief Act of 1999

S. 991, Youth Violence Prevention Act of 1999

S. 1043, Internet Regulatory Freedom Act of 1999