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1. Name of Registrant Hogan & Hartson L. L. P.	2. Registration No. 2244
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3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indicated purpose or purposes:

- To correct a deficiency in
- To give a 10-day notice of change in information as required by Section 2(b) of the Act.
- Initial Statement
- Supplemental Statement for the period ending _____
- Other purpose (specify) _____
- To give notice of change in an exhibit previously filed.

4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list-

Agreement for legal services between Registrant and the Embassy of Japan (attached).

5. Each item checked above must be explained below in full detail together with, where appropriate, specific reference to and identity of the item in the registration statement to which it pertains. (If space is insufficient, a full insert page must be used.)

The Registrant's Exhibit B, Item 1, for the Embassy of Japan is hereby amended to reflect that the Agreement referenced in Item 4 is now applicable.

EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

September 29, 1998

(Type or print name under each signature¹)

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RETAINER AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. has represented the Embassy of Japan, as its General Counsel in Washington, D.C., during prior fiscal years beginning on April 1 and terminating on March 31, and


WHEREAS, the parties have heretofore mutually agreed to a continuation of that legal relationship during the fiscal year beginning April 1, 1998, subject to annual renewal by mutual agreement of the parties;

THEREFORE, the parties agree that Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. will continue to provide legal services and advice to the Embassy of Japan for the period stated above for the annual retainer sum of \$40,000 (U.S.) billed quarterly in advance, plus actual disbursements billed at the conclusion of each quarter. It is understood that this retainer does not include legal services in connection with real estate matters and acquisitions or special matters requiring extraordinary legal time and attention.

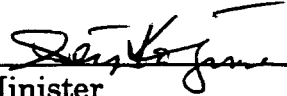
The contract shall come into force as of the first day of April, 1998, and shall be in effect until March 31, 1999, on the condition that the FY 1998 budget will be approved by the Diet.

Signed in duplicate and agreed as of this first day of April, 1998.

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