U.S. Department of Justice
Washington D.C. 20530

Amendment to Registration Statment
Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

OMB No. 1105-0004

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1. Name of Registrant	2. Registration No.
EDWARD HIDALGO	4509

3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indicated purpose or purposes:

☐ To correct a deficiency in

☐ Initial Statement

☒ Supplemental Statement for 11/30/91-

☐ To give notice of change in an exhibit previously filed.

☐ To give a 10-day notice of a change in information as required by Section 2(b) of the Act.

☐ Other purpose *(specify)* _____

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4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list-
ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF AGREEMENT
DATED AS OF 2/1/91-

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 more space is needed, full size insert sheets may be used.

CONTACTS WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, AS FOLLOWS:

17 SEPTEMBER '91	WITH	CONG. ESTEBAN TORRES
27 SEPTEMBER '91	WITH	CONG. DANTE B. FASCELL
1 OCTOBER '91	WITH	SENATOR BROCK ADAMS
4 OCTOBER '91	WITH	SENATOR JOHN CHAFEE
9 OCTOBER '91	WITH	CONG. SALOMON ORTIZ
21 OCTOBER '91	WITH	SENATOR DALE BUMPERS-
20 NOVEMBER '91	WITH	CONG. DUNCAN HUNTER
25 NOVEMBER '91	WITH	CONG. "SONNY" MONTGOMERY

On all these cases, PURPOSE WAS TO EXCHANGE VIEWS ON THE CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS FOR A FREE-TRADE AGREEMENT WITH MEXICO (and CANADA).

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The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has *(they have)* read the information set forth in this amendment and that he is *(they are)* familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his *(their)* knowledge and belief.

Edward Hidalgo

(All copies of this amendment shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at 1828 L Street, N.W., Suite 1111, Washington, DC 20036

this 27th day of November ,19 91

Francesca Guarnieri
(Notary or other officer)

My commission expires August 14, 1994

U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

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Exhibit B
To Registration Statement
Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

OMB No. 1105-0007
Approval Expires Nov. 30, 1993

INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This form shall be filed in triplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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5. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?[1]
Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature

[1]Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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TRANSLATION

CONTRACT FOR THE RENDITION OF SERVICES ENTERED INTO BY THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE VIA THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, HEREINAFTER "THE MINISTRY", REPRESENTED BY Lic. ANTONIO ARGUELLES, ITS "OFICIAL MAYOR", AND THE INDIVIDUAL WHOSE PERSONAL DATA ARE HEREINAFTER SET FORTH, HEREIN REFERRED TO AS "THE CONTRACTOR".

NAME: EDWARD HIDALGO

AGE: 78 YEARS

NATIONALITY: U.S.A.

CIVIL STATUS: MARRIED

DOMICILE: 1828 L. ST. N.W. Suite 1111
WASHINGTON, DC. 20036
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THE PARTIES AGREE TO SIGN THE PRESENT CONTRACT PURSUANT TO THE FOLLOWING DECLARATIONS AND CLAUSES:

DECLARATIONS:

I. "The MINISTRY"

1. That it is an agency of the Executive BRANCH of the Union pursuant to articles 2, subs. I and 26 of the Organic Law of the Federal Public Administration, WITH THE JURISDICTION set forth in the aforesaid law.

2. That the "Oficial Mayor" is the public individual upon whom are conferred the powers

to authorize documents that involve administrative acts taken by this Ministry, pursuant to article 7, section XIII of its internal Regulations.

3 That it requires the services of ~~the~~ the "Contractor" for the execution of its functions.

4. That it possesses the financial resources to pay for the services of the "Contractor", charged to Item No 3301 and Budget Assignment No. 0123 - D.

5. That for the legal effects of this contract and pursuant to article 34 of the Civil Code for the Federal District, it designates as its address number 30 of Alfonso Reyes St., in the Condesa Colony of Mexico, Federal District.

II "The Contractor"

6. That his personal data are as set forth supra in this contract.

7. That he has the knowledge needed to respond to the Ministry described in this contract and its Annex One.

8 That for the purposes of this contract ~~the~~ he renounces the protection of his government.

CLAUSES

FIRST - The Contractor obligates himself to render the services described in Annex One in accordance with the characteristics and timing set forth therein. The Annex forms an integral part

of this contract for all legal effects.

SECOND.- The Contractor shall apply his maximum capability and knowledge to the satisfactory fulfillment of the purposes of this contract, and to do so with the utmost confidentiality.

THIRD.- The term of this contract shall be from 1 February 1991 to 1 August of the same year.

FOURTH.- The MINISTRY SHALL pay to the Contractor for the services described in ANNEX ONE the sum of $60,000.00 dollars U.S. Cy, or its equivalent in national currency. Payment shall be made as follows:

A. Contractor shall receive $10,000.00 dollars U.S. Cy, or its equivalent in national currency, on a monthly basis, on the first day of each month.

FIFTH.- The Ministry shall additionally oppose and pay to Contractor the following expenses:

A. Food and board up to $264 dollars U.S. Cy, daily, per person.

B. Transportation

For reimbursement, Contractor shall present a detailed account of these Expenses, accompanied by respective vouchers.

C. The total amount of such expenses shall not exceed $1100.00 dollars U.S Cy. per month, or its equivalent in national currency.

SIXTH.- Beyond the obligations derived from this Contract, the Ministry shall not incur or recognize

any rights in favor of the Contractor.

SEVENTH.- This Contract shall cease to have legal effect for the Ministry, in the following cases:

1a - Death or permanent disability of the Contractor which impedes performance of the Services.

2a - The termination of this Contract at the request of either party, in which case Contractor shall be paid for services rendered to the date of termination.

3a - For non-performance of the services to be rendered by Contractor, in the judgement of the Ministry.

EIGHTH.- In matters not covered by this Contract, relevant provisions of the fourth book, second section, title ten, chapter II of the Civil Code of the Federal District, shall be applied.

NINTH.- In all matters relating to the interpretation and performance of this Contract if a controversy between the parties were to arise, the parties expressly submit to the jurisdiction of the Federal courts of the Federal District, renouncing any other forum that might apply by reason of domicile, nationality or any other cause.

The parties, duly informed of the contents of this Contract

signed same in the City of Mexico, Federal District, on the first day of February 1991.

For the Ministry of Commerce and Industrial Development The "Official Mayor".

Antonio Argüelles

Approved

Dr. Hermann von Bertrab

The Contractor

Eduardo Hidalgo

signed in Washington, DC

Annex ONE

After serving as Secretary of the Navy of the U.S. (1977-81), I have continued my career as a lawyer practicing at different times with leading law firms in Washington, especially in matters relating to Latin America and particularly Mexico.

My experience should permit me to advise on matters pertaining to the laws of both Mexico and U.S.A., as well as questions relating to the political institutions of both countries. My services would be rendered exclusively and without conflict to the mexican government.

The following events demonstrate the absence of any conflict of interests, past or present:-

1) My intervention in seeking to relay the streams between Mexico and the U.S.A. relating to events involving the Shah of Iran (Senator Hugo B. Margain can attest to these facts).

2) Participation in the organization of the meeting between President Salinas and President Bush in November 1988, at Houston.

3) Dealings with Pemex Mexicanos from 1949 to 1960 pertaining to contracts of drilling and exploration entered into by independent oil companies of the U.S.A. Navy participated in these "negotiations" since 1949, my aim would be to give informal and discrete advice during the course of events relating

to the (Free Trade) Agreement. Surely the most important aspect would be to interpret and explain laws of the U.S.A. to the Mexican Team.

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N.B. Clause THIRD of the Contract is being extended to 31 December 1991.

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I hereby certify that I am totally fluent in the english/spanish languages and that the foregoing translation accurately and faithfully reflects the original spanish Text.

27 November 1991

Eduardo Hidalgo

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of November, 1991.

Francesca L. Gumpiedo
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: August 14, 1994