

U.S. Department of Justice
 Washington, DC 20530

**Exhibit A to Registration Statement
 Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of
 1938, as amended**

INSTRUCTIONS. Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently. The filing of this document requires the payment of a filing fee as set forth in Rule (d)(1), 28 C.F.R. § 5.5(d)(1). Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit A form at <http://www.fara.gov>.

Privacy Act Statement. The filing of this document is required by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, for the purposes of registration under the Act and public disclosure. Provision of the information requested is mandatory, and failure to provide this information is subject to the penalty and enforcement provisions established in Section 8 of the Act. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of informational materials or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this Act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, DC. Statements are also available online at the Registration Unit's webpage: <http://www.fara.gov>. One copy of every such document, other than informational materials, is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of any and all documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. The Attorney General also transmits a semi-annual report to Congress on the administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents registered under the Act and the foreign principals they represent. This report is available to the public in print and online at: <http://www.fara.gov>.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .49 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, Registration Unit, Counterespionage Section, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

1. Name and Address of Registrant BGR Government Affairs, LLC 601 Thirteenth Street, NW, Eleventh Floor South Washington DC 20005	2. Registration No. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">5430</div>
3. Name of Foreign Principal Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan	4. Principal Address of Foreign Principal 2741 34th Street, NW Washington, DC 20008

5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following:

- Government of a foreign country¹
- Foreign political party
- Foreign or domestic organization: If either, check one of the following:
 - Partnership
 - Corporation
 - Association
 - Committee
 - Voluntary group
 - Other (*specify*) _____
- Individual-State nationality _____

6. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:

- a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant
 Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan
- b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals
 The Honorable Elin Suleymanov

7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:

- a) Principal address
 N/A
- b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals
- c) Principal aim

¹ "Government of a foreign country," as defined in Section 1(e) of the Act, includes any person or group of persons exercising sovereign de facto or de jure political jurisdiction over any country, other than the United States, or over any part of such country, and includes any subdivision of any such group and any group or agency to which such sovereign de facto or de jure authority or functions are directly or indirectly delegated. Such term shall include any faction or body of insurgents within a country assuming to exercise governmental authority whether such faction or body of insurgents has or has not been recognized by the United States.

8. If the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party:

a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal.

N/A

b) Is this foreign principal:

Supervised by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). *(If additional space is needed, a full insert page must be used.)*

N/A

10. If the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party or other foreign principal, state who owns and controls it.

N/A

EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this Exhibit A to the registration statement and that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature
March 20, 2017	Danny McNamara, Deputy General Counsel	/s/ Danny McNamara

eSigned

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Exhibit B to Registration Statement**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**

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. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit B form at <http://www.fara.gov>.

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1. Name of Registrant BGR Government Affairs	2. Registration No. 5430
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3. Name of Foreign Principal

Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan

Check Appropriate Box:

4. The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach a copy of the contract to this exhibit.
5. There is no formal written contract between the registrant and the foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach a copy of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
6. The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and expenses, if any, to be received.
7. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

The nature and method of performance of the contract will include strategic guidance and counsel with regard to government affairs and public relations activity within the U.S. This may include relevant outreach to U.S. government officials, non-government organizations, members of the media and other individuals within the U.S.

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

The Registrant will provide strategic guidance and counsel with regard to government affairs and public relations activity within the U.S. This may include relevant outreach to U.S. government officials, non-government organizations, members of the media and other individuals within the U.S.

9. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act and in the footnote below? 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.

The Registrant's work will include strategic guidance and counsel with regard to government affairs and public relations activity within the U.S. This may include relevant outreach to U.S. government officials, non-government organizations, members of the media and other individuals within the U.S.

EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this Exhibit B to the registration statement and that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
March 20, 2017	Danny McNamara, Deputy General Counsel	/s/ Danny McNamara eSigned

Footnote: "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity which the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any 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.

The Honorable Elin Suleymanov
Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan
2741 34th street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20008

Dear Ambassador:

We are delighted that the Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan has agreed to retain BGR Government Affairs, LLC ("BGR"). Please accept this letter of agreement ("Agreement") to work on its behalf.

Scope of Work: BGR will serve as a liaison for the Embassy in Washington D.C. and assist the Embassy with its efforts to strengthen relations between U.S and Azerbaijan.

Fees & Term: In consideration for the services provided by BGR, the Embassy agrees to pay BGR a monthly professional fee of USD\$50,000.00 for services beginning March 13, 2017 through December 31, 2017. The fee will be paid in monthly payments. Additionally, the Embassy agrees to reimburse BGR for ordinary and out-of-pocket expenses, including items such international and domestic airfare, lodging, non-local transportation, meals and other incidental expenses; however, these will be authorized by the Embassy in advance.

Invoicing: Professional fees and expenses are invoiced separately:

1. **Professional Fees:** An invoice our professional fees for March (prorated) and April is attached and due upon the execution. Hereafter, BGR will invoice the Embassy on first day of each month beginning May 1, 2017.
2. **Expenses:** BGR will invoice the Embassy on the last day of each month for expenses incurred during the month prior, starting March 31, 2017.

Termination & Cancellation: Either BGR or the Embassy may terminate the Agreement for any reason upon ninety (90) days written notice, with no further obligation, other than to pay such fees that have accrued up to and through the 90-day notice period.

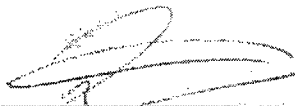
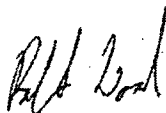
Confidentiality: BGR recognizes that in the course of our representation, we could become aware of information, practices or policies, which you wish to be kept confidential. BGR agrees to maintain that confidentiality and will not disclose to any outside party the information either during the period of a contract or afterwards, to the extent permitted by law.

Entire Understanding: This Agreement contains the entire understanding between the Parties. Amendment, modification or waiver of this Agreement may be accomplished with a written instrument signed by both Parties.

Please sign both copies of this Agreement and return one to us. We look to working on behalf of the Embassy the Republic of Azerbaijan.

BGR Government Affairs, LLC

Embassy the Republic of Azerbaijan



Robert Wood
President

The Honorable Elin Suleymanov
Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan

Date: 3/15/17

Date: 3/13/17