

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> or an original form signed by or on the behalf of the registrant.

**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 Potomac Square Group 644 9th St NE Washington DC 20002	2. Registration No. <div style="font-size: 2em; text-align: center;">6024</div>
3. Name of Foreign Principal Embassy of the Kingdom of Bahrain	4. Principal Address of Foreign Principal 3502 International Drive NW Washington DC 20008

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

- Foreign government
- Foreign political party
- Foreign or domestic organization: If either, check one of the following:
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Voluntary group
<input type="checkbox"/> Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Other ( <i>specify</i> ) _____
- Individual-State nationality \_\_\_\_\_

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

- a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant
  
- b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals  
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7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:

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

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.

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.)

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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.

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
3/15/11	Principal, Robson Square Group	

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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> or an original form for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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1. Name of Registrant  Potomac Square Group	2. Registration No.  6024
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3. Name of Foreign Principal  
  
Embassy of the Kingdom of Bahrain

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

see attached exhibit

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.

Registrant will provide public affairs and strategic communications counsel to foreign principal. Such counsel may include written and oral advice on dealing with reporters and public officials. Service may include outreach to reporters and others in an effort to explain various positions held by the government of Bahrain.

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### 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
3-15-11	Christopher Cooper Principal	

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.

## AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made as of Feb. 17, 2011 by and between Christopher Cooper (Potomac Square Group) POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP a sole proprietorship domiciled in the District of Columbia and the ~~Embassy~~ Embassy of the Kingdom of Bahrain (CLIENT)

### I. SERVICES AND TERM

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP shall provide CLIENT with strategic communications counsel and associated services ("Services") commencing Feb. 17, 2011 and ending on March 17, 2011, with the option to extend at CLIENT's discretion.

### II. REGULATORY FILINGS

CLIENT acknowledges that in the process of providing the Services, Potomac Square Group POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP may be required to make various foreign agent or lobbyist disclosure filings as appropriate. POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP shall prepare all such filings in a diligent and timely manner. All related filing and 3<sup>rd</sup> party fees shall be the responsibility of CLIENT.

### III. FEE

CLIENT will pay POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP a minimum fee (the "Fee") for the Services provided of \$20,000. The initial payment of \$20,000 is due upon the signing of this agreement.

Fees unpaid for more than 30 days shall accrue interest at the rate of one percent (1%) per month (12% per annum).

### IV. EXPENSES

CLIENT shall reimburse POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP for reasonable expenses. Such expenses may include charges for local travel and meals. Extraordinary expenses for items such as airfare, lodging, administrative contract work and other expenses exceeding \$100 per incidence, will be approved for reimbursement if presented in advance and approved by the CLIENT. Upon request, POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP will submit copies of receipts for such expenses to CLIENT. Upon request, POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP will submit copies of receipts for such expenses.

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP may choose, as a courtesy to CLIENT, to include bills from third parties providing Services under this Agreement in its own bill to CLIENT, but CLIENT expressly agrees that it will be directly and ultimately responsible for the payment of all such bills. Such obligation of CLIENT shall, however, be reduced by the amount of money paid to POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP directly as a result of a bill for third party Services.

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V. INDEMNIFICATION

CLIENT hereby indemnifies and holds harmless POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP, its directors, officers, employees and agents, from any and all injuries, losses, claims and damages to any person or property and all costs and expenses, including without limitation, attorneys' fees, and any other liabilities incurred by POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP as a result of any action or omission by CLIENT, their employees or agents, or any independent contractor engaged by either party for work related to this Agreement, subject only to the waiver by POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP of this indemnification if POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP is subsequently found guilty of gross negligence or willful misconduct by either a court of proper jurisdiction or an arbitration process initiated pursuant to this Agreement.

VI. TERMINATION

Given that the contract for services are for 30 day periods, this Agreement shall be subject to no termination clause by CLIENT.

VIII. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP and its employees are independent contractors and not employees or agents of the Bahrani Government or its US Embassy.

IX. CHOICE OF LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the District of Columbia.

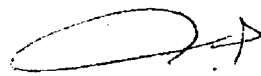
X. RIGHT TO WORK PRODUCT

In the performance of this or any supplemental agreement, if POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP has prepared or has had prepared any written presentation, reports or other material specific to CLIENT, all title and interest to such material, whether in preparation or final form shall be the exclusive property of CLIENT. Upon request of CLIENT, POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP will assign any copyrights or execute any other transfer documents and shall supply CLIENT with a complete copy of all materials prepared for CLIENT. POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP maintains the right to keep copies of all work product and other materials created in the performance of this Agreement. POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP in no way waives any of its rights or privileges with respect to work product.

XI. ARBITRATION

All claims, disputes, and other matters in question arising out of, or relating to, this Agreement or the breach thereof shall be decided by arbitration in ~~Washington DC~~ in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association then in effect unless the parties mutually agree otherwise. This agreement to arbitrate shall be specifically enforceable under the prevailing arbitration law. The award rendered by the Arbitrator (s)

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shall be final, and judgment may be entered thereon in accordance with the applicable laws in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Notice of the demand for arbitration shall be filed in writing, with the other party to the agreement and with the American Arbitration Association. The demand for arbitration shall be made within two (2) years after the claim, dispute, or other matter in question has arisen.

## XII. COSTS AND ATTORNEY FEES

If any action is necessary to enforce any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including seeking arbitration under the Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to receive from the other party all costs and fees, including reasonable attorney's fees, and the prevailing legal interest rate on all debts from the date of default.

## XIII. CONFLICTS

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP<sup>m</sup> ay currently or in the future represent one or more other clients having some contacts with CLIENT and/or its affiliates. For example, POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP may represent other clients in public relations projects, commercial transactions, legislative/policy matters, or administrative proceedings that may involve or affect CLIENT or its affiliates. CLIENT consents to POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP's current and future representation of any such other clients without the need for further consents from CLIENT as long as there is no direct conflict of interest, reasonably determined in good faith by POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP. No such direct conflict would exist where the representation of another client is not substantially and adversely related to the matters POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP is handling for CLIENT, or where POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP's representation of either CLIENT or another client involves matters unrelated to the representation of the other client. This advance consent does not permit unauthorized disclosure or use of any client confidences.

## XIV. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement between the parties hereto. All amendments must be in writing and signed by both parties.

## XV. CONFIDENTIALITY

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP shall keep confidential and not disclose to any third party or use for its own benefit, other than in connection with the provision of Services pursuant to Section 1 hereof, any and all of CLIENT's technical, business, strategic, or other proprietary information designated as Confidential by CLIENT to POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP. These obligations shall not apply to (a) information which, at the time of disclosure, is in the public domain; (b) information which, after disclosure, becomes part of the public domain by publication or otherwise, except by breach of this Agreement by POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP; (c) information which POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP can establish by competent proof was in POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP's possession at the time of disclosure by CLIENT and was not acquired directly or indirectly from CLIENT; (d) information which

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP receives from a third party, unless such information was obtained by said party, directly or indirectly, from POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP, and (e) information which POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP is required by law to provide.

#### XVI. NOTICES

All notices required or permitted under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed delivered when delivered in person or deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Embassy of Bahrain:

Attn: Amb. Houda Nonoo  
Address: 3502 International Drive NW  
Washington DC20008

Potomac Square Group, c/o Christopher Cooper

Attn: 644 9<sup>th</sup> St. NE Washington DC 20002  
[Christopher.cooper@gmx.com](mailto:Christopher.cooper@gmx.com)

Notices pursuant to Section 2 may be delivered by email to the above address.

#### XVII. AGREEMENT DISCLOSURE

POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP may publicize our agreement to work with CLIENT in the form of press releases and announcements, and may include CLIENT's name and logo in our client roster for the purpose of further POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP business development efforts. CLIENT will be given reasonable opportunity to review and approve all descriptive information pertaining to CLIENT prior to public disclosure. POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP may also request CLIENT's participation in additional activities such as case studies, references or other POTOMAC SQUARE GROUP public relations activities.

#### XVIII. WAIVER OF CONTRACTUAL RIGHT

The failure of either party to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver or limitation of that party's right to subsequently enforce and compel strict compliance with the Agreement.

#### XIV. AUTHORITY TO SIGN

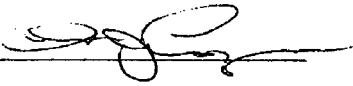
Each party has full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement, and the person signing this Agreement on behalf of each has been properly authorized and empowered to enter into this Agreement. Each party further acknowledges that it has read this Agreement, understands it, and agrees to be bound by it.





Potomac Square Group/Christopher Cooper

*for* The Embassy of the Kingdom of  
Bahrain

By: 

Date: 17 Feb 11

By: 

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