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Supplemental Statement

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

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| (c) Busi | iness Address(es) of | Registrant | | | | | | , | | | | |
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| 2. Has ther | e been a change in t | he informati | on previou | sly fur | nished in | connectio | n with th | e follow | ing? | | | |
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| | Residence address(Citizenship | (es) | Yes □ Yes □ | | No ⊠ No ⊠ | | | | | | | |
| | Occupation | | Yes 🗆 | | No 🗵 | | , . | | | | · | |
| (b) If a | n organization: | | · | | | | | | | | | |
| | Name | | Yes 🗌 | | No 🛛 | | | | | | | |
| | Ownership or cont Branch offices | rol | Yes □ Yes □ | | No ⊠ No ⊠ | | | | | | | |
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| | ave you filed an ame | | he Exhibit | C? | Yes 🗆 | | No 🗆 | | | * ** | | . • |
| If no, pl | ease attach the requi | red amendm | ent. | | | | | | | | | |
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Formerly CRM-154

FORM NSD-2 Revised 03/11

¹ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, and by laws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.)

| (a) Have any persons ceased a | cting as partners, officers, directe | ors or similar officials of the reg | gistrant during this | 6 month reporting p |
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| Yes 🗆 | No 🗵 | v * | , | |
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| II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL | |
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| 7. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period? Yes 5 | No □ |
| If yes, furnish the following information: | |
| Foreign Principal Date of Ter | mination |
| Information Affairs Authority, Bahrain April 30, 201 | |
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| 8. Have you acquired any new foreign principal(s) ² during this 6 month reporting period? Yes [|] No ⊠ |
| If yes, furnish th following information: | |
| Name and Address of Foreign Principal(s) Date Acc | uired |
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| 9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list foreign principal(s) ² whom you continued to re | present during the 6 month |
| reporting period. | |
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| 10. (a) Have you filed exhibits for the newly acquired foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8? | |
| Exhibit A ³ Yes \(\Boxed{\Omega} \) No \(\Boxed{\Omega} \) | |
| Exhibit B⁴ Yes □ No ☒ | |
| If no, please attach the required exhibit. | |
| (b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal w | hom you |
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| represented during this six month period? Yes ☐ No ☒ | • |
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 ² The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a) (9)). A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)
 3 The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form NSD-3 (Formerly CRM-157) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.
 4 The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4 (Formerly CRM-155) sets fourth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

(PAGE-4) III - ACTIVITIES 11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes X No 🗌 If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services: Information Affairs Authority, Bahrain: We provided advice and counsel on ongoing social and political reform activities in Bahrain, particularly with regard to the implementation of the recommendations of the Bahrain Independent Commission of Inquiry (BICI). Per our agreement with the client, our activities concluded following the delivery of the report of Bahrain's National Commission, which was tasked with tracking the implementation of the BICI recommendations. 12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter. Information Affairs Authority, Bahrain: We have advised on the implementation of the recommendations of the Bahrain Independent Commission of Inquiry (BICI) and have provided strategic counsel on issues including the importance of human rights training for police and security personnel, the need for transparency and accountability on the part of the government of Bahrain, strategies to engage Bahraini youth in the reconciliation process, encouraging civil discourse and dialogue, and using social media effectively to communicate reforms and progress as part of reconciliation. 13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits your foreign principal(s)? Yes \square If yes, describe fully.

⁵ The term "political activity" means any activity that 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 political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

| 4. (a) | | porting period, have you received from other source, for or in the interests of an | | | |
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| | If no, explain why. | | | 7 | |
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| | If yes, set forth below i | n the required detail and separately for | each foreign principal | an account o | f such monies.6 |
| | Date | From Whom | Purpose | | Amount |
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| (b) | During this 6 month representation for the foreign principal name | AISING CAMPAIGN porting period, have you received, as pad in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? n Exhibit D to your registration? | rt of a fundraising cam Yes □ Yes □ | npaign ⁷ , any No ⊠ No □ | money on behalf of any |
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| | If yes, indicate the date | the Exhibit D was filed. Date | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | |
| (c) | | OF VALUE porting period, have you received any the 9 of this statement, or from any other s No 🖾 | | | |
| | If yes, furnish the follo | wing information: | ÷ | • | |
| | Foreign Principal | Date Received | Thing of Value | | Purpose |

^{6, 7} A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, moneys, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fundraising

campaign. (See Rule 201(e)).

8 An Exhibit D, for which no printed form is provided, sets forth an account of money collected or received as a result of a fundraising campaign and transmitted for a foreign

⁹ Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors,

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| 15. (a) | During this 6 n (1) disbursed | nonth reporting | period, have you onies in connection with ac | tivity on behalf o | of any foreign | principal name | ed in Items 7, 8, or |
| | | | such foreign principal? | Yes □ | No ⊠ | | |
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| | If no, explain in | n full detail why | there were no disburseme | nts made on beha | alf of any fore | ign principal. | |
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DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value 10 other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes 🗌 No 🗵 If yes, furnish the following information: Foreign Principal Thing of Value Purpose Recipient DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value11 in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office? No 🖾 Yes 🗌 If yes, furnish the following information: Date Amount or Thing of Value Political Organization or Candidate Location of Event

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^{10, 11} Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks" and the like.

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V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

| 16 (a) During this 6 month rend | orting period, did you prepare, diss | seminate or cause to be disser | ninated any informational materials? |
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| Yes | No 🗵 | · | innated any international materials. |
| If Yes, go to Item 17. | | | |
| (b) If you answered No to Ite Yes □ | em 16(a), do you disseminate any i No 図 | material in connection with y | our registration? |
| If Yes, please forward the ma | aterials disseminated during the six | x month period to the Registr | ation Unit for review. |
| 17. Identify each such foreign pr | incipal. | | |
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| 18. During this 6 month reporting | g period, has any foreign principal | l established a budget or alloc | ated a specified sum of money to |
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| If yes, identify each such for | eign principal, specify amount, and | d indicate for what period of | time. |
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| 19. During this 6 month reporting | g period, did your activities in pre- | paring, disseminating or caus | ing the dissemination of information |
| materials include the use of a | | F | |
| | ☐ Magazine or newspaper ☐ M | - | ☐ Letters or telegrams |
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| | g period, did you disseminate or ca | ause to be disseminated infor | mational materials among any of |
| the following groups: | | | : |
| ☐ Public officials | ☐ Newspapers | | ☐ Libraries |
| ☐ Legislators | ☐ Editors | | ☐ Educational institutions |
| ☐ Government agencies | ☐ Civic groups | s or associations | ☐ Nationality groups |
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| 21: What language was used in the | | ., | |
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| | ation Unit, U.S. Department of Just disseminated during this 6 month | | |
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| 23. Did you label each item of su Yes ☐ No ☐ | uch informational materials with th | ne statement required by Secti | on 4(b) of the Act? |

¹² The term informational materials includes any oral, visual, graphic, written, or pictorial information or matter of any kind, including that published by means of advertising, books, periodicals, newspapers, lectures, broadcasts; motion pictures, or any means or instrumentality of interstate or foreign commerce or otherwise. Informational materials disseminated by an agent of a foreign principal as part of an activity in itself exempt from registration, or an activity which by itself would not require registration, need not be filed pursuant to Section 4(b) of the Act.

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| | VI - EXECU | TION | | |
| In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the unce the information set forth in this registration set thereof and that such contents are in their ent- undersigned make(s) no representation as to t Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information | tatement and the attached irety true and accurate to taruth or accuracy of the interest of the | exhibits and that he/she is (he best of his/her (their) kn formation contained in the a | they are) familiar v owledge and belief | vith the contents f, except that the |
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¹³ This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.