

U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

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

For 6 Month Period Ending 9/30/20
(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant (b) Registration Number
- DiNino Associates, LLC 6408
- (c) Primary Business Address
- 800 Maine Ave. SW, Floor 7
Washington, D.C. 20024

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?
- (a) If an individual:
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| (1) Residence address(es) | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) Citizenship | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) Occupation | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
- (b) If an organization:
- | | | |
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| (1) Name | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) Ownership or control | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) Branch offices | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
- (c) Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Items (a) and (b) above.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSES TO ITEMS 3, 4, 5, AND 6.

3. If the registrant previously filed an Exhibit C¹, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period. Yes No
- If yes, has the registrant filed an updated Exhibit C? Yes No
- If no, please file the updated Exhibit C.

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.)

4. (a) Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(b) Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position	Date Ceased
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5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(a) rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?

Yes No

If yes, identify each such person and describe the service rendered.

Name	Foreign Principal(s) Represented	Services
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(b) During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant hired as employees or in any other capacity, any persons who rendered or will render services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s) in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes No

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(c) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Date Terminated
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(d) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their connection with any foreign principal during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Foreign Principal	Date Terminated
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6. Have short form registration statements been previously filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of the supplemental statement or submitted with this filing? Yes No

If no, list names of persons who have not previously filed the required statement or are not submitting a short form with this filing.

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has the registrant's connection with any foreign principal(s) ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date of Termination

8. Has the registrant added any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date Added

9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list the foreign principal(s) whom the registrant continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

The Republic of India through Cornerstone Government Affairs, Inc.
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

The Embassy of the Republic of Korea through Cornerstone Government Affairs
2450 Massachusetts Ave. NW
Washington, D.C. 20008

10. (a) Has the registrant filed Exhibits A and B for the newly added foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8?

Exhibit A³ Yes No N/A

Exhibit B⁴ Yes No N/A

If no, please file the required exhibit.

(b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal(s) whom the registrant represented during this 6 month period? Yes No

If yes, has the registrant filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes No

If no, please file the required amendment.

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, sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

⁴ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4, sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes No

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail all activities and services:

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services
Embassy of the Republic of Korea	Promoting to members of Congress and their staffs a professional visa initiative incentive for Korean nationals to work in the United States
Republic of India	Registrant will provide strategic counsel to the Principal on strengthening ties to the United States government and institutions.

12. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant, on behalf of any foreign principal, engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? Yes No

If yes, identify each 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, social media, internet postings, or media broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter. The response must include, but not be limited to, activities involving lobbying, promotion, perception management, public relations, economic development, and preparation and dissemination of informational materials.

Set forth below a general description of the registrant's political activities.

Please see attachment A

Set forth below in the required detail the registrant's political activities.

Foreign Principal	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
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13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, has the registrant engaged in activity or rendered any services on its own behalf which benefits the registrant's foreign principal(s)? Yes No

If yes, describe fully.

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services
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⁵ "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, 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.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION**14. (a) RECEIPTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise? Yes No

If no, please explain why no monies were received.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.⁶

Foreign Principal	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
The Embassy of the Republic of Korea through Cornerstone Government Affairs	9/30/20	Cornerstone Government Affairs	Consulting services	\$37,500.00	\$37,500.00
The Republic of India through Cornerstone Government Affairs	9/30/20	Cornerstone Government Affairs	Consulting Services	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
				\$57,500.00	
					Total

(b) RECEIPTS - FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received, as part of a fundraising campaign⁷, any money on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes No

If yes, has the registrant previously filed an Exhibit D⁸ to its registration? Yes No

If yes, indicate the date the Exhibit D was filed. Date _____

If no, please file the required Exhibit D.

(c) RECEIPTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received any thing of value⁹ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal? Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Thing of Value
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^{6, 7} A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he/she 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 principal.

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, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement or transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes No

If no, explain why no disbursements were made.

No expenses were made during this time period for either client.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Foreign Principal	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
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Total

(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disposed of anything of value¹⁰ 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	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Thing of Value
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant (or any short form registrant) from its own funds and on its 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?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Donor	Political Organization/Candidate	Method	Amount/Thing of Value
Please see attachment A				

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.

V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

16. (a) During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated any informational materials?¹² Yes No

(b) If yes, identify each such foreign principal for which informational materials were disseminated and respond to the remaining items in this section.

17. During this 6 month reporting period, has a budget been established or specified sum of money allocated to finance the registrant's activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, and specify the period of time and the amount.

Foreign Principal	Period of Time	Amount
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18. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant's activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials included the use of any of the following:

- Magazine or newspaper Advertising campaigns Press releases Pamphlets or other publications
 Lectures or speeches Radio or TV broadcasts Motion picture films Letters or telegrams
 Email
 Website URL(s): _____
 Social media websites URL(s): _____
 Other (*specify*) _____

19. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated, or caused to be disseminated informational materials among any of the following groups:

- | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Public officials | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspapers | <input type="checkbox"/> Libraries |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Legislators | <input type="checkbox"/> Editors | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational institutions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government agencies | <input type="checkbox"/> Civic groups or associations | <input type="checkbox"/> Nationality groups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>specify</i>) _____ | | |

20. Indicate the language used in the informational materials:

- English Other (*specify*) _____

21. Has the registrant filed with the FARA Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No

If no, please file the required informational materials.

22. Has the registrant labeled each item of such informational materials with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act?

Yes No

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.

VI - EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, and subject to the penalties of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and 22 U.S.C. § 618, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this statement filed pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, 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	Printed Name	Signature ¹³	
December 17, 2020	Paul DiNino	/s/ Paul DiNino	eSigned
_____	_____	_____	
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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.

Attachment A
Question 12

Foreign Principal	Date	Contact	Office	Method	Purpose
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Laura Updegrove	Sen. Merkley	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Matt Squeri	Sen. Merkley	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Emily Farnell	Sen. Manchin	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Wes Kungel	Sen. Manchin	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Michael Bardin	Sen. Gillibrand	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Mitchel Hochberg	Sen. Gillibrand	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Kevin Lawson	Sen. Klobuchar	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Ben Widness	Sen. Wyden	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Kristen Donheffner	Sen. Whitehouse	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Christopher Mewett	Sen. Whitehouse	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	David Grannis	Sen. Feinstein	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Alexandra Heller	Sen. Feinstein	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Rachel Bombach	Sen. Feinstein	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Betsy Thompson	Rep. Garamendi	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Colin Finn	Rep. Gabbard	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Brandon Garay	Rep. Gabbard	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Jason Lumia	Rep. Cooper	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Stephanie Mitchell	Rep. Cooper	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	4/17/2020	Wyndee Parker	Rep. Pelosi	Email	Indian DCM Digital Hangout
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Michael Zamore	Sen. Merkley	Email	Call with Sen. Merkley and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Sheila Dwyer	Sen. Cantwell	Email	Call with Sen. Cantwell and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Ben Widness	Sen. Wyden	Email	Call with Sen. Wyden and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Lance West	Sen. Manchin	Email	Call with Sen. Manchin and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Jess Fassler	Sen. Gillibrand	Email	Call with Sen. Gillibrand and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Lance West	Sen. Manchin	Email	Response to call with Sen. Manchin and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	6/8/2020	Fred Turner	Sen. Menendez	Phone	Schedule a call with Sen. Menendez and Indian Ambassador
Embassy of India	5/8/2020	Fred Turner	Sen. Menendez	Email	Schedule a call with Sen. Menendez and Indian Ambassador

Question 15(c)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Donor</u>	<u>Political Org/Candidate</u>	<u>Method</u>	<u>Amount</u>
4/18/2020	Paul DiNino	Bob Casey for Senate	Credit card	\$500
5/5/2020	Paul DiNino	Montanans for Bullock	Credit card	\$500
5/19/2020	Paul DiNino	Susie Lee for Congress	Credit card	\$500
5/19/2020	Paul DiNino	Finkenauer for Congress	Credit card	\$500
5/29/2020	Paul DiNino	Rita Hart for Iowa	Credit card	\$250
6/1/2020	Paul DiNino	Theresa Greenfield for Senate (IOWA)	Credit card	\$500
6/11/2020	Paul DiNino	Cal (Cunningham) for NC (US Senate)	Credit card	\$500
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Friends for Jahana Hayes	Credit card	\$250
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Chrissy Houlahan for Congress	Credit card	\$500
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Collin Allred for Congress	Credit card	\$500
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Van Hollen for Seante	Credit card	\$250
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Ben McAdams for Congres	Credit card	\$250
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Rita Hart for Iowa	Credit card	\$250
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Van Hollen Greenfield Victory Fund	Credit card	\$500
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Kennedy for Massachusetts	Credit card	\$500
7/19/2020	Paul DiNino	Desiree Tims for Congress (OH-10)	Credit card	\$250
8/3/2020	Paul DiNino	Sima for Texas (TX-02) (Sima Ladjevardian)	Credit card	\$250
8/7/2020	Paul DiNino	Levin Victory Fund 2020	Credit card	\$250
8/12/2020	Paul DiNino	Jake Auchincloss for Congress	Credit card	\$500
8/17/2020	Paul DiNino	Donna Shalala for Congress	Credit card	\$500
8/17/2020	Paul DiNino	Castor for Congress	Credit card	\$500
8/17/2020	Paul DiNino	DWS for Congress	Credit card	\$500
8/17/2020	Paul DiNino	Theresa Greenfield for Senate (IOWA)	Credit card	\$500
8/17/2020	Paul DiNino	Cindy Axne for Congress	Credit card	\$250
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Jeff Merkley for Oregon	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Theresa Greefield for Senate (IOWA)	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Cindy Axne for Congress	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Gary Peters for Senate	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Josh Harder for Cognress	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Kai Kahele for Congress	Credit card	\$250
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Rita Hart for Iowa	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Susie Lee for Congress	Credit card	\$500
9/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Andy Kim for Congress	Credit card	\$1,000
5/21/2020	Paul DiNino	Gretchen Whitmer for Governor	Credit card	\$250
6/8/2020	Paul DiNino	Friends of Raph Graybill	Credit card	\$200
6/30/2020	Paul DiNino	Mike Cooney for Governor (MT)	Credit card	\$710
7/19/2020	Paul DiNino	Josh Stein for Attorney General (NC)	Credit card	\$500
8/4/2020	Paul DiNino	Ben Salango for West Virginia (GOV)	Credit card	\$500
8/9/2020	Paul DiNino	Energized for Change (VA Speaker Filler-Corn)	Credit card	\$250
9/3/2020	Paul DiNino	Friends of Raph Graybill	Credit card	\$160
10/20/2020	Paul DiNino	Marko (Liiago) for Washington (LG)	Credit card	\$250