

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 07/31/2025
(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant (b) Registration Number
 U.S. Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council 6516
- (c) Primary Business Address
 800 Maine Avenue SW, suite 311, Washington, DC 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:
- | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| (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, did any employee or individual working in any capacity (including a partner, officer, director or similar official), other than in a clerical or secretarial capacity or in a related or similar capacity, begin rendering services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s)?

Yes No

Name	Foreign Principal	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(c) Have any employees or individuals (including partners, officers, directors or similar officials), 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 (including partners, officers, directors or similar officials), 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 this supplemental statement or submitted with this filing? Yes No

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 registered for any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date Registered

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 this 6 month reporting period.

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10. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant filed an amendment for changes to Exhibits A³ and/or B⁴ previously filed for any foreign principal(s)? Yes No

If no, and there is a change to any Exhibit A and/or B, please file an amendment if it is required.

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date Amended

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
Syrian Democratic Council	Representation of the Syrian Democratic Council in the United States to include meeting with officials, coordinating events, and liaising with US officials and organizations.

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.

Syrian Democratic Council: See Appendix for Response

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, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any 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
Syrian Democratic Council	02/01/2025-07/31/2025	various Kurdish/Syrian supporters in US, grassroots supporters, SDC	To support the work of the US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council	\$98,000.00	
Syrian Democratic Council	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$98,000.00
					\$ 98,000.00
					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.

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
Syrian Democratic Council	02/01/2025-07/31/2025	utilities, rental fees, transportation, expenditures, office supplies	office operations, office expenses, transportation	\$39,500.00	
Syrian Democratic Council	02/01/2025-07/31/2025	Contracting, professional and clerical services	Maintain office infrastructure, services	\$32,200.00	
Syrian Democratic Council	02/01/2025-07/31/2025	Property Manager/Owner	Rent for office space	\$26,260.00	
Syrian Democratic Council	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$97,960.00

\$ 97,960.00
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
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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.

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.

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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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Total

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): https://www.facebook.com/syrianDemocraticCouncilUS/
 Social media websites URL(s): syriandemocraticcouncil.us; syriandemocrattimes.com
 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:

- Public officials Newspapers Libraries
 Legislators Editors Educational institutions
 Government agencies Civic groups or associations Nationality groups
 Other (specify) _____

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
09/02/2025	Bassam said Ishak	<input data-bbox="854 499 922 527" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/Bassam said Ishak
09/02/2025	Sinam Sherkany Mohamad	<input data-bbox="854 590 922 617" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/Sinam Sherkany Mohamad
09/02/2025	Bassam Saker	<input data-bbox="854 680 922 707" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/Bassam Saker
		<input data-bbox="854 764 922 791" type="text" value="Sign"/>

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.

VI - EXECUTION

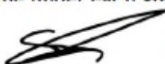
In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature¹³)

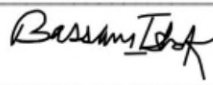
August 28, 2025

Sign


_____ Sinam Sherkany Mohamad


August 28, 2025

Sign


_____ Bassam Said Ishak

August 28, 2025

Sign


_____ Bassam Saker

Sign

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ATTACHMENT to NSD-2 Form
Registrant: US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council
Registration #6516

Pursuant to Item #12, Activities

FARA - Reporting Requirements
Syrian Democratic Council - Meetings, Events, and Media Appearances
For the Period: February 1, 2025 to July 31, 2025

Foreign Principal: Syrian Democratic Council
Purpose of Meetings: To discuss Northeast Syria, the Middle East, and Regional Issues.

February 3, 2025
International Religious Freedom Roundtable, Breakfast, Kick-Off Breakfast Event

February 3, 2025
Meeting with Devorah Margolin and Aaron Zelin, Washington Institute for Near East Policy

February 3 - February 4, 2025
International Religious Freedom Summit, SDC US attending

February 5, 2025
Empower Women Media, Abraham Women's Alliance, SDC US attending

February 7, 2025
Sinam meets with Diana, Freedom Seekers

February 7, 2025
Meeting with Joe Newman, staffer to Congressman Espaillat

February 11, 2025
Meeting with former US Ambassador James Jeffrey

February 11, 2025
Azerbaijan Religious Freedom Event, Rayburn House Office Building, US Congress.
SDC US attending.

February 11, 2025
Meeting with US Congressman Abraham Hamadeh

February 11, 2025
"Post-Assad Syria: A Window of Hope or a New Crisis?"
American University, School of International Service
SDC US attending.

February 12, 2025
Georgetown University, Women in Peace and Security

Women in Peace Processes: Reflections from Syria, Sudan, and Yemen
SDC US attending

February 13, 2025

Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, Syria Hearing

Speakers: Micheal Singh and Dana Stroul, Washington Institute for Near East Policy

SDC US attending

February 14, 2025

Virtual Meeting with Elham, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff

Attended by Ms. Elham Ahmad, Syrian Democratic Council, and SDC US staff

February 18, 2025

Virtual Meeting with General Mazloun, Syrian Democratic Forces, SDC US staff, and US Senator Chris Van Hollen.

February 18, 2025

Meeting with David Phillips, Luke

February 19, 2025

The Roddie Edmond Congressional Gold Medal Luncheon in the Kennedy Caucus Room of the Russell Senate Office Building, US Congress. SDC US attending.

February 20, 2025

Meeting with Nancy Azar, The Carter Center

February 27, 2025

PRESS BRIEFING with General Mazloun Abdi, Syrian Democratic Forces, at the National Press Club, Washington DC

Hosted by US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council (SDC US)

March 3, 2025

Iftar Event, at Capitol Building, US Congress

March 5, 2025

Meeting with Susan Michael from US Commission on International Religious Freedom

March 12, 2025

Interview with CNN, with Ms. Sinam Sherkany Mohamad, Chief of Mission, US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council

March 12, 2025

Meeting with Luke Dube, staff to Representative Marc Veasey staffer

March 13, 2025

Middle East Institute Event on Syria, "Reimagining Syria: A Roadmap to Peace and Prosperity Beyond Assad." SDC US attending.

March 13, 2025

Meeting with security and foreign policy staff, Senator Brian Schatz

March 13, 2025

Meeting with Danuta Pereira, foreign affairs staffer to Senator Ron Johnson

March 13, 2025

Meeting with William Irwin, foreign affairs staffer to Senator Marsha Blackburn

March 13, 2025

Meeting with Maxwell Wright, Legislative Assistant to Congressman Ken Calvert

March 14, 2025

Meeting with Conor Friend, staffer to Congresswoman Chellie Pingree

March 17, 2025

Meeting with Caroline Rose, New Lines Institute

March 19, 2025

Roundtable discussion with Sinan Ciddi, scholars at Foundation for the Defense of Democracy

March 19 2025

Meeting with Juliana Dauchess, foreign affairs staffer to Congressman Lloyd Smucker.

March 20, 2025

Interview with CNBS, with Ms. Sinam Sherkany Mohamad, US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council

March 25, 2025

Meeting with Gil Thompson, foreign affairs staffer to Representative Brad Scheider

March 25, 2025

U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom Event. SDC US attending.

March 31, 2025

Meeting with Morgan Bell, staffer to Congressman Gary Palmer

April 3, 2025

Meeting with Aykan Erdimir, Anti-Defamation League

April 3, 2025

Meeting with Taylor Fairless, National Security Advisor to Congressman Jimmy Panetta

April 10, 2025

Newroz Event in US Congress, Senate Hart Building, organized by SDC US, American Kurdish Network, office of Senator Mark Warner

April 15, 2025

Meeting with Emerald Garrett, Senior Legislative Assistant to Congressman James E. Clyburn

April 15, 2025

"Post-Assad Syria: A Window of Hope or a New Crisis?" Panel Discussion, American University. SDC US attending.

April 22, 2025

Panel discussion, New Lines Institute, withdrawal of US troops from Syria. SDC US attending.

April 23, 2025

Bassam Ishak speaks at In Defense of Christians Event

April 29, 2025

IRF Middle East Working Group Meeting. SDC US attending.

April 29, 2025

Panel Discussion, Online, Abraham Women Alliance. SDC US attending.

April 30, 2025

Meeting with Colin and Callahan, foreign policy staff of Chairman James Risch staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

April 30, 2025

Meeting with Max Wright, staffer to Congressman Ken Calvert

April 30, 2025

Meeting with Alexander Parham, Legislative Assistant, Congressman Bill Foster

May 7, 2025

Meeting with Molly Martin, Legislative Director in the office of Representative Brett Guthrie

May 7, 2025

Meeting with Nicholas Hodson, Senator Tammy Baldwin staff

May 8, 2025

Meeting with Darian Harbeck, Senior Policy Advisor to Congressman Paul D. Tonko

May 12 - May 13, 2025

Religious Minorities Conference at US Congress, Alaawite/Christian segment. Ms. Sinam Sherkany Mohamad speaks at conference.

May 13, 2025

Meeting with Ted Kupper, staffer to Congresswoman Sara Jacobs

May 13, 2025

Meeting with Congressman Joe Wilson

May 14, 2025

Meeting with Congresswoman Grace Meng

May 20, 2025

Middle East Forum Annual Conference. SDC US attending.

May 20, 2025

Meet with Paulina Carrillo, foreign affairs staffer for Congressman Vicente Gonzalez.

May 21, 2025

Meeting with Will Reynolds, staffer for Congressman Hal Rogers

May 21, 2025

Meeting with August Perry, Legislative Correspondent to Congressman John Rutherford

May 27, 2025

Interview with The New York Times, with Ms. Sinam Sherkany Mohamad, US Mission of the Syrian Democratic Council

June 5, 2025

Council on Foreign Relations Roundtable Discussion on Syria. SDC US attending.

June 5, 2025

House Foreign Affairs Committee. Subcommittee Hearing, "Syria After Assad."
Speakers: David Schenker, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy; Dr. Anna Borshchevskaya, Washington Institute for Near East Policy; Mr. Jon B. Alterman, Center for Strategic and International Studies. SDC US attending.

June 10, 2025

Meeting with former US Ambassador James Jeffrey

June 11-12, 2025

Bassam Ishak speaks at Coptic Solidarity Conference, speech on Christians in Syria, Conference in Cannon House Office Building, US Congress.

June 17, 2025

International Religious Freedom Roundtable meeting, situation on Syrian Christians.
Bassam Ishak gives speech to IRF Roundtable.

June 20, 2025

Meeting with Nicholas Heras and Zara Farouk at New Lines Institute.

June 23, 2025

Off the record conversation with Ms. Elham Ahmed and Washington Institute for Near East Policy - virtual meeting.

July 9, 2025

Meeting with Luke Dube, Legislative Director to Congressman Marc Veasey

July 15, 2025

Public Event with Elham Ahmad, Syrian Democratic Council, hosted by New Lines Institute.

July 16, 2025

Roundtable Discussion, Council on Foreign Relations. SDC US attending.

July 24, 2025

Meeting with Peter Billerbeck, Professional Staff Member, House Foreign Affairs Committee

July 31, 2025

Meeting with General Mazloun Abdi, Syrian Democratic Forces, and Congressman Abraham Hamadeh, virtual.