

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 03/31/2025
(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant (b) Registration Number
 Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, P.C. 6535
- (c) Primary Business Address
 165 Madison Avenue, Suite 2000, Memphis, TN 38103

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, 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, 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
James W. Dyer		12/31/2024
Christy Markva Heath		12/31/2024

(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
See Appendix for Response			

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

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
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	12/31/2024

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
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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.

None

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
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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, 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 Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	The registrant provided strategic guidance and counsel with regard to government activity within the U.S. impacting the foreign principal's interests, including relevant outreach to U.S. government officials, non-government organizations and other individuals within the U.S.

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.

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.

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.

Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC): Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC): No disbursements reimbursable under the registrant's contract with the Embassy of the Republic Azerbaijan were expended during the reporting period.

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
10/08/2024	BAKER DONELSON LA PAC	Committee to Elect Brittany Bryant Jordan for City Court Judge	Check	\$ 250.00
10/11/2024	BAKER DONELSON TN PAC	Friends to Elect Steve Southerland	Check	\$ 500.00
10/18/2024	BAKER DONELSON PAC	wicker for senate	Check	\$ 1,000.00
10/18/2024	BAKER DONELSON PAC	Chrissy Houlahan for Congress	Check	\$ 1,000.00
10/22/2024	BAKER DONELSON MS PAC	Briggs Hopson Campaign	Check	\$ 1,000.00
10/23/2024	BAKER DONELSON PAC	Friends of Mark Warner	Check	\$ 1,000.00
11/12/2024	BAKER DONELSON LA PAC	Sharon Weston Broom Campaign Rob Wittman for Congress	Check	\$ 2,000.00
12/04/2024	BAKER DONELSON PAC	Collins for Senate	Check	\$ 500.00
12/06/2024	BAKER DONELSON PAC	Mississippi House Leadership	Check	\$ 1,000.00
12/13/2024	BAKER DONELSON MS PAC	Fund	Check	\$ 5,000.00

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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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:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine or newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising campaigns | <input type="checkbox"/> Press releases | <input type="checkbox"/> Pamphlets or other publications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lectures or speeches | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio or TV broadcasts | <input type="checkbox"/> Motion picture films | <input type="checkbox"/> Letters or telegrams |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Email | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Website URL(s): _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social media websites URL(s): _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>specify</i>) _____ | | | |

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
01/27/2025	Nicole Carelli	<input data-bbox="854 495 922 537" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/Nicole Carelli
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 585 922 627" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 669 922 711" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 753 922 795" 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.

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Date

Printed Name

Signature

<u>1/27/25</u>	<u>Nicole Carelli</u>	<u>Nicole Carelli</u>
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Appendix Response to Item 5(d)

Item 5(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? If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Foreign Principal	Date Terminated
James W. Dyer		Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	12/31/2024
Christy Markva Heath		Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	12/31/2024

Appendix Response to Item 14(a)-Detail

Foreign Principal(s)	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	10/25/2024-10/25/2024	Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	Consulting Fees	\$18,000.00	
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	10/31/2024-10/31/2024	Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	Consulting Fees	\$18,000.00	
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	12/04/2024-12/04/2024	Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	Consulting Fees	\$18,000.00	
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	12/26/2024-12/26/2024	Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	Consulting Fees	\$18,000.00	
Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (through BGR Government Affairs, LLC)	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$72,000.00