

U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

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

For Six Month Period Ending April 30, 2019
(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant (b) Registration No.
Holly Strategies Incorporated 6605
(c) Business Address(es) of Registrant
825 South Monroe Street
Arlington, VA 22204

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?
- (a) If an individual:
- | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (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 RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, AND 5(a).

3. If you have previously filed Exhibit C¹, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period.
Yes No
If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes No
If no, please attach the required amendment.

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 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 Connection Ended
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(b) 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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5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(b) 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.

(b) During this six 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 filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of the supplemental statement?

Yes No

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No
If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date of Termination
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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 the following information:

Name and Address of Foreign Principal(s)	Date Acquired
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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 represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Embassy of the Republic of Iraq

10. (a) Have you filed exhibits for the newly acquired foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8?

Exhibit A³ Yes No

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 whom you represented during this six month period? Yes No

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes No

If no, please attach 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

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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 No

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

On behalf of the Embassy of the Republic of Iraq, the Registrant provided government relations services during the reporting period. Services included strategic counsel and guidance on geopolitical issues of concern and issues affecting the US-Iraq bilateral relationship. The Registrant conducted outreach to public officials in the federal executive and legislative branches as well as non-governmental organizations on behalf of the Embassy. In conjunction with the services, the Registrant traveled to Baghdad from April 4-10, 2019.

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

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.

Please see attachment

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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 No

If yes, describe fully.

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, have you 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, explain why.

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

Date	From Whom	Fee	Purpose	Amount
9/6/18	Embassy of Republic of Iraq	Fee		\$7,000.00
11/20/18	Embassy of the Republic of Iraq	Fee		\$21,000.00
12/18/18	Embassy of the Republic of Iraq	Fee		\$56,000.00
				84,000.00
			Total	

(b) **RECEIPTS - FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you 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, have you filed an Exhibit D⁸ to your registration? Yes No

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

(c) **RECEIPTS-THINGS OF VALUE**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you 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	Thing of Value	Purpose
Embassy of the Republic of Iraq	April 4-10, 2019	Airfare, hotel accommodations, meals, and local transportation	Travel to Baghdad by Registrant to meet with foreign principal

^{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 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, have you

- (1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes No
- (2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes No

If no, explain in full detail why there were no disbursements made on behalf of any foreign principal.

Airfare, meals and accommodations pursuant to the Registrant's travel to Baghdad April 4-10, 2019 were provided by the foreign principal. Accordingly, no disbursements were made by the Registrant.

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.

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
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Total

(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you 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:

Date	Recipient	Foreign Principal	Thing of Value	Purpose
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(c) 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?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Amount or Thing of Value	Political Organization or Candidate	Location of Event
Please see attachment			

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, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any informational materials?¹²

Yes No

If Yes, go to Item 17.

(b) If you answered No to Item 16(a), do you disseminate any material in connection with your registration?

Yes No

If Yes, please forward the materials disseminated during the six month period to the Registration Unit for review.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials include the use of any of the following:

- Radio or TV broadcasts Magazine or newspaper Motion picture films Letters or telegrams
 Advertising campaigns Press releases Pamphlets or other publications Lectures or speeches
 Other (*specify*) _____

Electronic Communications

- Email
 Website URL(s): _____
 Social media websites URL(s): _____
 Other (*specify*) _____

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause 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*) _____

21. What language was used in the informational materials:

- English Other (*specify*) _____

22. Did you file with the Registration Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No

23. Did you label 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, 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)

May 22, 2019 _____

/s/ Joshua C. Holly _____

eSigned

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.

QUESTION 12: POLITICAL ACTIVITY

The following outreach was conducted by the Registrant on behalf of the Embassy of the Republic of Iraq regarding the US-Iraq bilateral relationship.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PERSON CONTACTED</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>MEANS OF CONTACT</u>
10/30/2018	Kelley Hudak	House Majority Whip Steve Scalise	Phone call
10/31/2018	Jeff Dressler	House Speaker Paul Ryan	Meeting
11/14/2018	Robert Karem	Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell	Email
11/31/2018		Reagan Defense Forum	Meeting
12/1/2018		Reagan Defense Forum	Meeting
12/5/2018	Todd Womack	Senate Foreign Relations Committee	Meeting
12/10/2018	Matt Amitrano	State Department	email
12/20/2018		Iraqi Ambassador to the U.S. Open House	Meeting
01/09/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Phone Call
01/16/2019	Rep. Joe Courtney	Rep. Joe Courtney	Meeting
01/16/2019	Mike Casey	Senate Select Committee on Intelligence	Meeting
01/17/2019	Gabe Sehr	Rep. Joe Courtney	Email
01/22/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Email
01/23/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Email
01/24/2019	Gabe Sehr	Rep. Joe Courtney	Email
01/24/2019	Claire Wardius	Rep. Joe Courtney	Email
01/25/2019	Gabe Sehr	Rep. Joe Courtney	Meeting
01/28/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Meeting
01/28/2019	Austin Weatherford	Rep. Adam Kinzinger	Email
01/29/2019	Austin Weatherford	Rep. Adam Kinzinger	Email; Call
02/06/2019	Austin Weatherford	Rep. Adam Kinzinger	Email
02/06/2019	Katie Baird	Rep. Adam Kinzinger	Email
02/07/2019		CSIS	Meeting
02/09/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
02/12/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
02/20/2019	Christine Wagner	Rep. Seth Moulton	Email
03/12/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
03/12/2019	Brian Garrett	House Armed Services Committee	Meeting
03/13/2019	Brian Garrett	House Armed Services Committee	Email; Phone Call
03/14/2019	Austin Weatherford	House Armed Services Committee	Email

03/18/2019	Hannah Aiken	Rep. Haley Stevens	Email
03/19/2019	Stefanie Hausheer Ali	Atlantic Council	Email
03/20/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
03/20/2019	Brian Garrett	House Armed Services Committee	Email
03/20/2019	Hannah Aiken	Rep. Haley Stevens	Email
03/27/2019	Anna Burress	Chamber of Commerce	Email, Meeting
03/27/2019	John Noonan	Sen. Tom Cotton	Phone Call
03/08/2019		Event at Atlantic Council	Meeting
04/01/2019	Robert Karem	Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell	Email
04/01/2019	Christine Wagner	Rep. Seth Moulton	Email
04/01/2019	Brian Garrett	House Armed Services Committee	Email
04/02/2019	Austin Weatherford	Rep. Adam Kinzinger	Email
04/02/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
04/02/2019	Jonathan Lord	House Armed Services Committee	Email
04/05/2019	Robert Karem	Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell	Email
04/06/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
04/07/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
04/07/2019	Joey Hood	State Department	Meeting
04/08/2019	Matt Amitrano	State Department	Text
04/09/2019	Jonathan Lord	House Armed Services Committee	Email
04/09/2019	Robert Karem	Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell	Email
04/15/2018	Steve King	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/16/2019	Steve King	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/16/2019	William Ellis	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/16/2019	Dan Dolan	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/17/2019	Steve King	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/17/2019	William Ellis	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/17/2019	Dan Dolan	Sen. Angus King	Email, Phone Call
04/19/2019	Steve King	Sen. Angus King	Email
04/19/2019	William Ellis	Sen. Angus King	Email
04/19/2019	Dan Dolan	Sen. Angus King	Email
04/19/2019	Matt Lampert	Sen. Tammy Duckworth	Email, Phone Call
04/20/2019	Chris Barkley	Sen. Mitt Romney	Email
04/23/2019	Megan Reiss	Sen. Mitt Romney	Email
04/23/2019	Dan Sadlosky	House Minority Whip Steve Scalise	Meeting
04/29/2019	Steve King	Sen. Angus King	Email

QUESTION 15(c): DISBURSEMENTS – POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The following contributions were made by Josh Holly during the reporting period.

Date	Amount (\$)	Political Org. or Candidate Committee	Member or Candidate
11/5/18	250	Crenshaw for Congress	Dan Crenshaw
11/5/18	250	NRCC	NRCC
11/7/18	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
12/7/18	1000	Team McHenry	Rep. Patrick McHenry
12/7/18	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
12/18/18	250	NRCC	NRCC
1/7/19	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
1/16/19	1000	E-PAC	Rep. Elise Stefanik
1/16/19	2500	STAPAC	Rep. Mac Thornberry
2/7/19	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
2/12/19	250	Judge Carter for Congress	Rep. John Carter
2/28/19	500	Jim Banks for Congress	Rep. Jim Banks
3/8/19	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
3/26/19	500	Bill Keating for Congress	Rep. Bill Keating
3/27/19	500	Waltz for Congress	Rep. Mike Waltz
3/28/19	500	Cathy for Congress	Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers
3/30/19	2500	McConnell for Senate	Sen. Mitch McConnell
3/31/19	500	Norcross for Congress	Rep. David Norcross
3/31/19	1000	Thornberry for Congress	Rep. Mac Thornberry
3/31/19	250	Judge Carter for Congress	Rep. Jon Carter
3/31/19	500	NRCC	NRCC
4/3/19	1000	Fraternity and Sorority PAC	Fraternity and Sorority PAC
4/8/19	250	Citizens for Turner	Rep. Mike Turner
4/29/19	2500	NRCC	NRCC
4/30/19	500	NRCC	NRCC