

U.S. Department of Justice
 Washington, DC 20530

**Exhibit A to Registration Statement
 Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of
 1938, as amended**

INSTRUCTIONS. Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently. The filing of this document requires the payment of a filing fee as set forth in Rule (d)(1), 28 C.F.R. § 5.5(d)(1). Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit A form at <https://www.fara.gov>.

Privacy Act Statement. The filing of this document is required by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, for the purposes of registration under the Act and public disclosure. Provision of the information requested is mandatory, and failure to provide this information is subject to the penalty and enforcement provisions established in Section 8 of the Act. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of informational materials or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this Act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the FARA Unit in Washington, DC. Statements are also available online at the FARA Unit's webpage: <https://www.fara.gov>. One copy of every such document, other than informational materials, is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of any and all documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. The Attorney General also transmits a semi-annual report to Congress on the administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents registered under the Act and the foreign principals they represent. This report is available to the public in print and online at: <https://www.fara.gov>.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .22 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, FARA Unit, Counterintelligence and Export Control Section, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

1. Name of Registrant wael soliman	2. Registration Number 7530
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3. Primary Address of Registrant
 196 Martin Lane, Alexandria, VA 22304

4. Name of Foreign Principal United Arab Emirates Embassy in Washington D.C.	5. Address of Foreign Principal 3522 International Ct, NW #100 Washington, DC 20000
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6. Country/Region Represented
 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

7. Indicate whether the foreign principal is one of the following:

Government of a foreign country¹

Foreign political party

Foreign or domestic organization: If either, check one of the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Voluntary group
<input type="checkbox"/> Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>specify</i>) _____

Individual-State nationality _____

8. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant
 The UAE Embassy

b) Name and title of official(s) with whom registrant engages
 Karim Gama1

¹ "Government of a foreign country," as defined in Section 1(e) of the Act, includes any person or group of persons exercising sovereign de facto or de jure political jurisdiction over any country, other than the United States, or over any part of such country, and includes any subdivision of any such group and any group or agency to which such sovereign de facto or de jure authority or functions are directly or indirectly delegated. Such term shall include any faction or body of insurgents within a country assuming to exercise governmental authority whether such faction or body of insurgents has or has not been recognized by the United States.

9. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:

- a) Name and title of official(s) with whom registrant engages

- b) Aim, mission or objective of foreign political party

10. If the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party:

a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal.

b) Is this foreign principal:

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|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Supervised by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |

11. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 10(b).

12. If the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party or other foreign principal, state who owns and controls it.


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
01/29/2025	wael soliman	<input data-bbox="886 405 954 443" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/wael soliman
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="886 489 954 527" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="886 573 954 611" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="886 657 954 695" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____

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Date	Printed Name	Signature
01-29-25	Wael Soliman	
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**Exhibit B to Registration Statement
Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of
1938, as amended**

INSTRUCTIONS. A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements, or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit B form at <https://www.fara.gov>.

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1. Name of Registrant wael soliman	2. Registration Number 7530
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3. Name of Foreign Principal
United Arab Emirates Embassy in Washington D.C.

Check Appropriate Box:

4. The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach a copy of the contract to this exhibit.
5. There is no formal written contract between the registrant and the foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach a copy of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
6. The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and expenses, if any, to be received.
7. What is the date of the contract or agreement with the foreign principal? 11/04/2024
8. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

To meet the United Arab Emirates Trade Office's need for cohesive guidance and strategic direction for the UAE Preferred campaign, Sparkline, LC proposes to provide comprehensive strategy development, oversight, and execution management to ensure alignment with the UAE Trade Office's goals. As the strategic marketing partner and executive director of campaign strategy and oversight, Sparkline will coordinate efforts across key partners (REQ, FGS) and internal stakeholders to maximize impact across Paid, Earned, Shared, and Owned media dimensions.

9. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal.

To meet the United Arab Emirates Trade Office's need for cohesive guidance and strategic direction for the UAE Preferred campaign, Sparkline, LC proposes to provide comprehensive strategy development, oversight, and execution management to ensure alignment with the UAE Trade Office's goals. As the strategic marketing partner and executive director of campaign strategy and oversight, Sparkline will coordinate efforts across key partners (REQ, FGS) and internal stakeholders to maximize impact across Paid, Earned, Shared, and Owned media dimensions.

10. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act¹.

Yes No

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose. 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.

11. Prior to the date of registration² for this foreign principal has the registrant engaged in any registrable activities, such as political activities, for this foreign principal?

Yes No

If yes, describe in full detail all such activities. The response should include, 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 also 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 activities, including political activities.

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

Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
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12. During the period beginning 60 days prior to the obligation to register³ for this foreign principal, has the registrant received from the foreign principal, or from any other source, for or in the interests of the foreign principal, any contributions, income, money, or thing of value either as compensation, or for disbursement, or otherwise?

Yes No

If yes, set forth below in the required detail an account of such monies or things of value.

Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount/Thing of Value
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13. During the period beginning 60 days prior to the obligation to register⁴ for this foreign principal, has the registrant disbursed or expended monies, or disposed of anything of value other than money, in connection with activity on behalf of the foreign principal or transmitted monies to any such foreign principal?

Yes No

If yes, set forth below in the required detail an account of such monies or things of value.

Date	Recipient	Purpose	Amount/Thing of Value
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¹ "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity which 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 the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

^{2,3,4} Pursuant to Section 2(a) of the Act, an agent must register within ten days of becoming an agent, and before acting as such.


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_____	_____	<input data-bbox="889 541 959 581" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="889 630 959 665" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="889 709 959 749" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____

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Date	Printed Name	Signature
01-29-25	Wael Soliman	
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Statement of Work

UAE Preferred Campaign Strategy and Oversight

Submitted to: Trade Office, Embassy of the United Arab Emirates, Washington, D.C.

Submitted by: Sparkline, LLC

Date: November 4, 2024

Contract Duration: November 6, 2024, to November 6, 2025

Retainer Fee: \$200,000 (Payable in Four Installments)

Scope of Work

To meet the United Arab Emirates Trade Office's need for cohesive guidance and strategic direction for the UAE Preferred campaign, Sparkline, LLC proposes to provide comprehensive strategy development, oversight, and execution management to ensure alignment with the UAE Trade Office's goals. As the strategic marketing partner and executive director of campaign strategy and oversight, Sparkline will coordinate efforts across key partners (REQ, FGS) and internal stakeholders to maximize impact across Paid, Earned, Shared, and Owned media dimensions.

Campaign Goals

Sparkline, LLC will represent the UAE Trade Office in the UAE Preferred campaign, with the following goals:

- › Increase Awareness: Enhance awareness of the UAE Preferred campaign and its importance to global commerce, with a special focus on the U.S. market.
- › Generate Interest in UAE Business Opportunities: Encourage interest from U.S. businesses to explore opportunities within the UAE, laying the groundwork for future expansion across the Americas.
- › Engage Core Audiences: Drive meaningful conversations among target audiences to position the UAE as a prime business hub, with a specific focus on artificial intelligence, advanced technology, and other key sectors.

Key Responsibilities

1. Campaign Strategy Development and Performance Tracking

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- › Overarching Strategy and Narrative: Develop a unified campaign strategy and compelling narrative that aligns closely with the UAE Trade Office's objectives. Ensure the strategy flows seamlessly across all media dimensions—Paid, Earned, Shared, and Owned—integrating these elements into a cohesive approach that all campaign partners will follow.
- › Performance Tracking: Track campaign performance based on data provided by partners to assess campaign effectiveness. Use insights to make recommendations and refine tactics as needed to stay aligned with campaign goals.

2. Campaign Planning, Activation, and Oversight

- › Comprehensive Management and Coordination: Represent the UAE Trade Office in managing the planning, activation, and execution of the UAE Preferred campaign, bridging efforts across REQ, FGS, and internal stakeholders. Ensure that each campaign dimension—Paid, Earned, Shared, and Owned—is executed in harmony, reinforcing a unified brand presence.
- › Media Oversight and Content Alignment: Guide and assess the execution of the media plan managed by all campaign partners and supervise the internal effort to ensure consistent messaging and alignment with the campaign strategy.

Compensation

Total annual fee of \$200,000, payable in four equal installments each on the following dates:

- › First Installment (November 6, 2024): \$50,000
- › Second Installment (March 6, 2025): \$50,000
- › Third Installment (July 6, 2025): \$50,000
- › Fourth Installment (November 6, 2025): \$50,000

Termination

This agreement may be terminated by either party with 30 days written notice (including via email) given to the other party. If such termination occurs in between payments set forth in the schedule found in the preceding section, the Embassy shall pay the *pro rata* amount of the next payment to Sparkline, LLC within 14 days of the termination taking effect.

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Compliance with Applicable Laws

Each party acknowledges that each is responsible for complying with applicable laws. Sparkline, LLC acknowledges that it is aware of the U.S. Foreign Agents Registration Act ("the Act") and will determine whether it applies to its performance of this contract. The Embassy consents to disclosure to the U.S. Government of information about this agreement necessary for Sparkline, LLC to comply with the Act.

Confidential Information

Disclosures During the Agreement. Sparkline, LLC acknowledges that, in performing duties on behalf of the Embassy, it will have access to confidential, proprietary, and privileged information of the Embassy, the UAE Government, and/or persons or entities affiliated with the Embassy or the UAE Government. Sparkline, LLC agrees that it will disclose any such information only with the consent of the Ambassador, the Deputy Chief of Mission, or other UAE officials as appropriate before making any disclosures. Sparkline, LLC will take due care and use its best efforts to safeguard confidential, proprietary, and privileged information of the Embassy, the UAE Government, and their affiliates. Sparkline, LLC will store or return any materials in accordance with Embassy policies or at the request of the Ambassador, the Deputy Chief of Mission, or other relevant UAE officials.

Disclosures After Agreement Terminates; Return of Records. Sparkline, LLC acknowledges and agrees that all Embassy, UAE Government, and affiliates' records and materials shall at all times be and remain the exclusive property of the Embassy, the UAE Government, and/or the affiliates, as applicable. Upon termination of this agreement, Sparkline, LLC shall promptly return to the Embassy all such records and materials; and it shall neither make nor retain, nor allow any third party to make or retain, any photo, electronic or other copy or other reproduction of any of such records or materials after such termination.

Notices

Any notice given under this agreement to either party shall be made in writing (including by email). Notices shall be deemed given when delivered by hand, document delivery service, or when mailed by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, and addressed to the party at the address set forth below. Alternatively, notice may be given by email.

Each party may designate a different address for receiving notices by giving written notice of the different address to the other party. The written notice of the different address will be deemed given when it is received by the other party.

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Governing Law and Disputes

This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the District of Columbia. Sparkline, LLC acknowledges that the UAE is a sovereign entity subject to sovereign, diplomatic, and other international immunities and privileges and that the UAE waives none of these by entering into this agreement. To the extent that any disputes arise under this agreement, including whether this agreement is effective or still in effect, such a dispute shall be resolved through dialogue and mutual agreement whenever possible. In the event that no such resolution can be obtained, the Parties agree that any and all disputes, claims or controversies arising out of or relating to this agreement shall be submitted to Judicial Arbitration and Mediations Services, Inc. ("JAMS"), or its successor, for mediation, and if the matter is not resolved through mediation, then it shall be submitted to JAMS, or its successor, for final and binding arbitration.

Any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this agreement or the breach, termination, enforcement, interpretation, or validity thereof, including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate, will be referred to and finally determined by arbitration in accordance with the JAMS Smart Contract Rules. The seat of the arbitration will be Washington, D.C. The language to be used in the arbitral proceeding will be English. Judgment upon the award rendered by the Arbitrator(s) may be entered by any court having jurisdiction thereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this agreement, the parties hereby recognize and agree that the disclosure of confidential information as defined above could cause irreparable harm and therefore agree that either party may institute action in any appropriate court to seek injunctive relief to stop the disclosure of such information and will cooperate with the other party in any such action. Furthermore, if either party becomes aware of any law or order requiring it to disclose any information about the Embassy; the UAE; Sparkline, LLC; or this agreement, that party shall promptly notify the other party of such law or order and cooperate with the other party to contest the disclosure of information under and the law or order in question. Sparkline, LLC agrees that the Embassy may appoint counsel for it, the Embassy, and the UAE in any such instance.

Entire Agreement

This instrument contains the entire agreement of the parties. The parties have not made any agreements or representations, oral or otherwise, express or implied, pertaining to the subject matter of this agreement other than those specifically included in this agreement.

Amendment of Agreement

No change or modification of this agreement shall be valid unless it is in writing and signed by the party against whom the change or modification is sought to be enforced. No change or modification by the Embassy shall be effective unless it is approved by the Ambassador, the Deputy Chief of Mission, or other appropriate UAE official.

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Severability of Provisions

If any provision of this agreement is invalidated or held unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of that provision or provisions shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this agreement.

Assignment of Agreement

This agreement may not be assigned without the joint written consent of the parties.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AGREEMENT

For SPARKLINE, LLC

Signature:



Name: Wael Soliman

Title: Managing Director

Date: November 6, 2024

For Embassy of the United Arab Emirates

Signature:



Name: *Alicia Al-Sayid*

Title: *DEM*

Date: November 6, 2024

