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*Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement
and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.*

1. Name and address of registrant Patton Boggs LLP	2. Registration No. 2165
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3. Name of foreign principal The Government of Albania	4. Principal address of foreign principal Bulevardi "Deshmoret e Kombit" Keshilli i Ministrave Ministri i Shtetit
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5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following:

Foreign government

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 (specify): _____

Individual-State nationality _____

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

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant
Ministry of State

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals
Genc Pollo, Minister of State

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

a) Principal address

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals

c) Principal aim

8. 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.

N/A

b) Is this foreign principal

Supervised by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes No

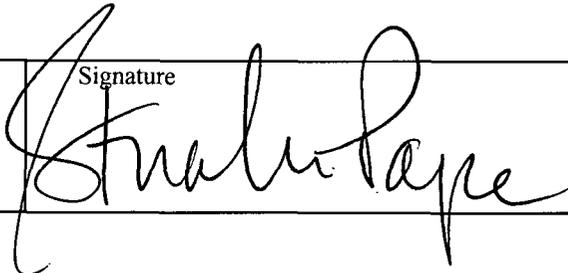
9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is needed, a full insert page must be used.)

N/A

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10. 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.

N/A

Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature
12/07/2009	Stuart M. Pape Managing Partner	

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. One original and two legible photocopies of this form shall be filed for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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Check Appropriate Boxes:

- 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. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.
Registrant will assist the foreign principal in applying for a Compact with the Millennium Challenge Corporation for which it has been found eligible. Registrant's activities will involve contacts with officials of the U.S. Executive Branch and the various Departments and other U.S. agencies that will be involved in the project and members and staff of the U.S. Congress.

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

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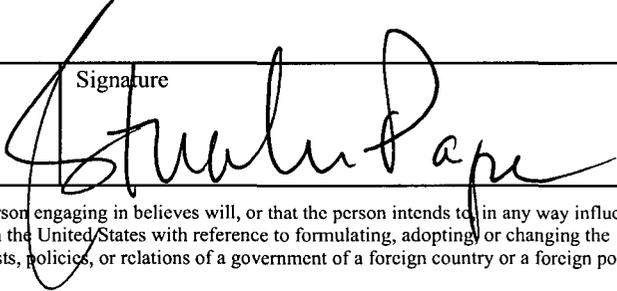
9. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act and in the footnote below? Yes No

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.

Some of the Registrant's activities may include providing counsel and advice to the foreign principal regarding bilateral relations with the U.S. Government.

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Date of Exhibit B 12/7/09	Name and Title Stuart M. Pape Managing Partner	Signature 
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Footnote: 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.



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December 04, 2009

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Washington, D.C. 20037

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Dear Mr. Kearney:

As you might be aware, the Government of Albania is considering engaging a provider for a number of legal and advisory services in regards to our public policy needs and our initiatives relating to economic development, privatization and other commercial interests.

We wish to hereby mutually acknowledge with your firm that our Government requests your services in the context of our pursuit of a Millennium Challenge Corporation Final Compact and that you agree to provide such services. The Government is especially enthusiastic about your firm assisting us with the pursuit of a full compact with the Millennium Challenge Corporation ("MCC").

As a matter of context and background, the Government has a history with the MCC. Albania was amongst the first of seven countries eligible to apply for Threshold Program assistance in 2004. This honor led to Albania signing its first Threshold Agreement with MCC in 2006. Building upon the successes of the first program, Albania entered into a second Threshold Agreement with MCC in 2008. Due to its striking improvements in its governance scores and other indicators used to determine eligibility for a MCC Compact, the Government was recently informed that Albania is now eligible to apply for a full compact agreement.

In an effort to continue to build upon its achievements, the Government requires your assistance in helping to secure an MCC Compact and ensuring that the terms and benefits of the Compact are structured for Albania's maximum benefit.

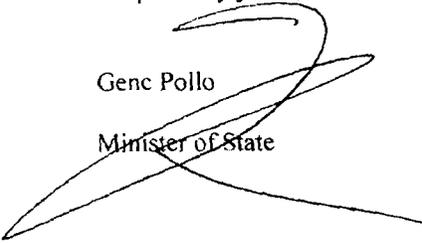
The Government of Albania looks forward to working with Patton Boggs to achieve its goal of securing a full compact with MCC. We do so because we have already concluded that your experiences in this area are relevant to our needs and we require your assistance on an expedited basis.

If you agree with the contents of this letter, please acknowledge it by affixing your signature below.

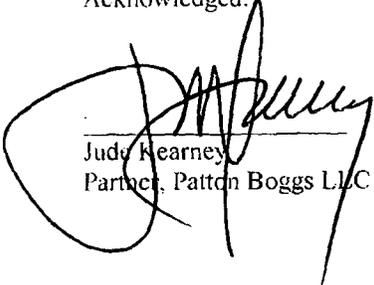
Respectfully yours,

Gene Pollo

Minister of State



Acknowledged:



Judy Kearney
Partner, Patton Boggs LLC

Dated: Dec. 4 '09