

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 12/31/2015

(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant (b) Registration No.

German National Tourist Office 616

(c) Business Address(es) of Registrant

122 East 42nd Street, Suite 2000
New York, NY 10168

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 No
- (2) Citizenship Yes No
- (3) Occupation Yes No

(b) If an organization:

- (1) Name Yes No
- (2) Ownership or control Yes No
- (3) Branch offices Yes No

(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

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

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.

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:

Providing free information on travel, education, hotel accommodation, events, and transportation. Distribution of travel literature and posters to travel agencies, tour operators, media representatives, and schools on request. Furnishing of articles and images on Germany and its attractions, life and culture to on-and offline media outlets. Arranging for study trips for travel trade. Placements of ads in on-and offline media channels.

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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.

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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	Purpose	Amount
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See attached list

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
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^{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.

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
See attached list			

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
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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, 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.

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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): www.germany.travel
- Social media websites URL(s): www.twitter.com / www.facebook.com / www.linkedin.com
- 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)

January 19, 2016

/s/ Ricarda Lindner

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.

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Germany
The travel destination**BAB 2411 AV US (NYC) Infrastructure**

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Cost center report	Recording of entries in Euro
PROCEEDS	
Other operating income	-7,466.68
47020000 proceeds rental income DE 0%	-8,588.34
47050000 proceeds exchange rate differences DE 0%	-592.96
73000000 interest costs	1,714.62
Total income	-7,466.68
EXPENSES	
Personnel expenses	281,112.88
60201000 remuneration employees	270,873.52
60302000 remuneration interns	10,038.85
60500000 social aid effort	200.51
Other operating expenses	123,139.44
04210000 IT equipment EUR 411-5000-since 2012	14,624.65
63100000 office rent	73,723.89
63101000 utilities	792.65
63110000 storage rent	1,235.50
63250000 electricity	8,708.74
63300000 cleaning, waste disposal	1,817.17
63370000 replacements	13.45
64700000 repair and maintenance of technical systems	358.37
64954000 IT support	896.75
64956000 IT office supplies	136.23
68000000 mailing costs administration	45.18
68050000 telephone costs	10,338.36
68051000 mobile costs	2,311.32
68150000 office supplies	969.27
68200000 books, magazines	247.09
68210000 education and training costs	1,416.20
68255000 accounting costs	3,183.06
68450000 tool costs	223.83
68550000 additional costs money and payments	1,620.22
68900000 miscellaneous other operating expenses	477.51
Allocation and subsidies	1,396.09
64200100 financial contributions offshore	1,396.09
Exceptional costs	653.28
66300000 representation expenses	653.28
Investments	0.00
Miscellaneous marketing costs	117,227.14
68800000 expense exchange rate differences	117,227.14
TOTAL EXPENSES	523,528.83
TOTAL RESULTS	516,062.15
Revenue to cost ratio in %	1.43

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Cost center report

PROCEEDS

Trade Fairs	0,00
Workshops	-97.887,19
40100000 proceeds workshop provider DE 0%	-22.509,15
40101000 proceeds workshop buyer DE 0%	78,93
40109000 proceeds workshop miscellaneous DE 0%	-139,67
40140000 proceeds workshop provider DE 19%	-72.817,30
49700100 proceeds Barter provider WS DE19%	-2.500,00
Study trips	-4.803,71
40240000 proceeds study trip DE 19%	-130,00
40241000 proceeds study trip DE 0%	-4.673,71
Print ads	-1.800,00
41040000 proceeds ads DE 19%	-1.800,00
Internet advertising	-85.043,60
42000000 proceeds internet DE 0%	-2.225,00
42040000 proceeds internet DE 19%	-32.318,20
49702100 proceeds Barter Online DE 19%	-50.500,40
Cooperation	-122.280,00
43040000 proceeds cooperation DE 19%	-71.565,35
48001000 proceeds projects cooperation DE 19%	-65.414,24
48009000 irregular income Project	14.699,59
Miscellaneous services	-24.262,12
44000000 proceeds miscellaneous services DE 0%	-3.834,87
44200100 other proceeds Press DE 19%	-7.413,81
44300000 proceeds other presentations DE 0%	-9.566,92
44300100 proceeds other presentations DE 19%	-801,92
48000900 proceeds other projects DE 0%	2.644,60
Other administrative income	-34,85
47000000 other operational income DE 0%	-34,03
47050000 proceeds exchange rate differences DE 0%	-0,82
Sum of proceeds	-336.111,47

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EXPENSES	
Personell expenses	-222,90
60201000 remuneration employees	-222,90
Other operating expenses	7.460,98
69900100 mobile communications /project	386,61
69900200 other administrative costs /project	831,14
69901000 overhead costs	6.243,23
Expenses for travel	30.317,26
59007100 marketing travel expenses DZT-Staff	23.809,99
59107100 travel expenses DZT-MA project	6.507,27
Agency costs	30.200,69
59000100 internet agency costs	30.200,69
Cost of production	397.363,46
59000410 design and concept master agreement	9.012,08
59001000 insertion and media costs	332.718,95
59001001 insertion and media costs master agreement	42.904,27
59002000 graphic costs	3.893,88
59002100 printing costs	3.322,10
59002300 image and film license costs	1.886,17
59002400 press service costs	3.008,27
59101000 insertion/media project	617,74
Expenses for events	106.570,38
59003000 rent space	2.570,44
59003100 rent technical equipment	5.789,41
59003300 stand construction costs	9,06
59003400 giveaways under EUR 25	34,47
59003500 supporting programme costs	468,25
59003600 catering costs	37.003,36
59003700 marketing catering expenses 70%	14.124,86
59003710 marketing catering expenses 30%	1.952,74
59003900 other event costs	11.072,63
59004100 marketing participation costs	33.214,71
59103600 catering project	82,37
59103700 catering 70% Project	173,66
59103710 catering 30% Project	74,42
participation costs	112.345,61
59004000 marketing subsidy costs	89.094,58
59104100 participation cost project	23.251,03
Expense for shipping	51.336,87
59005000 shipping costs	8.186,88
59005100 mailing costs	24.209,25
59005200 marketing costs postage	17.604,44
59005300 e-mail/newsletter costs	450,00
59005900 other mailing costs	672,10
59105200 postage marketing project	214,20
Travel costs multiplicatoren	34.151,03
59007000 marketing Travel costs Multiplika	31.781,28
59107000 travel costs multi project	529,49
59210900 Barter train expenses	1.840,26
Other marketing expenses	40.770,92
59009000 miscellaneous other marketing costs	1.228,89
59102400 press service project	3.821,00
59109900 compensation MA project	34.446,93
68800000 expense exchange rate differences	1.274,10
TOTAL EXPENSES	810.294,30
TOTAL RESULTS	474.182,83
Revenue to cost ratio in %	41,48

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**BAB****3421 AV/VA US/W (LAX) Administration**

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Cost center report
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in Euro

PROCEEDS	
Other operating income	0.00
Total income	0.00
EXPENSES	
Agency costs	81.443,72
59000300 sales agency costs	81.443,72
Event costs	0.00
Shipment costs	0.00
Travel costs multiplikatoren	0.00
Other marketing costs	12.493,24
68800000 expenses exchange rate differences	12.493,24
TOTAL EXPENSES	93.936,96
TOTAL RESULTS	93.936,96
Revenue to cost ratio in %	0.00

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**BAB****3422 AV/VA US/W (LAX) Marketing**

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Cost center report

Recording of entries
in Euro

PROCEEDS	
Workshops	0.00
Total income	0.00
EXPENSES	
Agency costs	0.00
Expenses for events	43,99
59003600 catering costs	43,99
Expense for shipping	394,61
59005200 Marketing postage costs	394,61
Expenses for travel	5.418,20
59007000 Marketing travel costs Multiplikatoren	5.418,20
Miscellaneous marketing costs	0.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	5.856,80
TOTAL RESULTS	5.856,80
Revenue to cost ratio in %	0.00

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Cost center reportRecording of entries
in Euro

PROCEEDS	
Workshops	0.00
Other operating income	0.00
Total income	0.00
EXPENSES	
Agency costs	37,049.88
59000300 Sales agency costs	37,049.88
Shipment costs	0.00
Travel costs multiplikatoren	0.00
Miscellaneous marketing costs	0.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	37,049.88
TOTAL RESULTS	37,049.88
Revenue to cost ratio in %	0.00

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in Euro

Cost center report

PROCEEDS	
Workshops	-576,59
40100000 Proceeds workshop provider DE 0%	-576,59
Sum of proceeds	-576,59
EXPENSES	
Agency costs	0,00
Event costs	0,00
Expense for shipping	98,79
59005200 Marketing postage costs	98,79
Travel costs multiplikatoren	3.454,30
59007000 Marketing travel costs multiplikatoren	3.454,30
Miscellaneous marketing costs	0,00
TOTAL EXPENSES	3.553,09
TOTAL RESULTS	2.976,50
revenue to cost ratio in %	16,23