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# EXHIBIT A

## TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT

*Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended*

*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: Japan Trade Center, 727 West 7th Street, Suite 327, Los Angeles, Calif. 90017

2. Registration No.: 1833

3. Name of foreign principal: Hokkaido Prefectural Government

4. Principal address of foreign principal: Chuo-ku, Sapporo, Japan

5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following type:

[X] Foreign government

[ ] Foreign political party

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

[ ] Partnership
[ ] Committee
[ ] Corporation
[ ] Voluntary group
[ ] Association
[ ] Other (specify) _____

[ ] Individual - State his nationality _____

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

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant.

Foreign Trade Institute of the Hokkaido Prefectural Government

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.

Kimio Kizakai — Director of Commerce, Industry and Tourism

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

a) Principal address Not Applicable

b) Name and title of official with whom the 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

Not Applicable

b) Is this foreign principal Not Applicable

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 whole 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 may be used.)

Not Applicable

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.

Not Applicable

| Date of Exhibit A | Name and Title | Signature |
|---|---|---|
| April 26, 1974 | Akira Yasui<br>Executive Director | Akira Yasui |

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# EXHIBIT B

## TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT
Under 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. This form shall be filed in duplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

| Name of Registrant | Name of Foreign Principal |
|---|---|
| Japan Trade Center | Hokkaido Prefectural Government |

Check Appropriate Boxes:

1. ☐ The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach two copies of the contract to this exhibit.

2. ☐ There is no formal written contract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach two copies of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.

3. ☐ The agreement or understanding between the registrant and 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 the expenses, if any, to be received.

3A. There is no correspondence or written agreement between the registrant and the foreign principal establishing the relationship between them. The relationship is based upon an understanding between the Japan External Trade Organization* and the Hokkaido Prefectural Government. This understanding will continue until terminated by either party.

*("JETRO")

4. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding. (1) JETRO hires certain employees, who formerly were employed by the Hokkaido Prefectural Government ("Hokkaido"). After being employed by JETRO they engage in a variety of activities in furtherance of JETRO's purposes in the same manner as other JETRO employees, including undertaking temporary assignments at overseas branch offices of JETRO. (2) Certain trade and business information which JETRO has gathered through JETRO's Los Angeles Office (Japan Trade Center) is remitted to Hokkaido to the extent it is requested and relevant to businesses and industries within the Hokkaido Prefecture. If employees hired in the manner described in (1) above, have special knowledge of, expertise in, or familiarity with the business or industry for which information is requested, such employees may be assigned the responsibility of assisting in the gathering of such information. While fulfilling such an assignment, these employees at all times remain and act in the capacity of employees of JETRO and do not in any manner represent Hokkaido as its foreign agent in the United States. (3) Hokkaido makes annual contributions to JETRO to reimburse JETRO for performing the above functions.

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

(1) Conducts research in and gathers information concerning United States international trade, domestic economic conditions, and domestic product markets.

(2) Conducts research in and gathers information concerning specific products.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?1/ 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.

| Date of Exhibit B | Name and Title | Signature |
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| April 26, 1974 | Akira Yasui<br>Executive Director | Akira Yasui |

1/ Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other 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.