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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
KOBE TRADE INFORMATION OFFICE
645 DEXTER HORTON BUILDING, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98104

2. Registration No.
4434

3. Name of foreign principal
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4. Principal address of foreign principal
7, Kano-cho 6-chome, Ikuta-ku
Kobe 650, 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.
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b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.
YOSHIO WATANABE, Chief of Foreign Trade Section

7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:
Not applicable
a) Principal address

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,
Not applicable
a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal

b) Is this foreign principal

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.)

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.

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Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature
June 19, 1973	Kotaro Yamada, Director	K. Yamada

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EXHIBIT B

TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT
Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act
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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
KOBE TRADE INFORMATION OFFICE	KOBE MUNICIPAL 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. [X] 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.

The Kobe Trade Information Office is a subdivision (branch) of the Foreign Trade Section (registrant's head office) of the Kobe City Government, and was established in Seattle because of being sister cities and will remain as long as the Mayor of Kobe City decides to terminate. The fund is sent biannually from the head office for registrant's functions.

4. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

Same as above

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

Nonprofit organization, free services to inquirers providing information on trade between the United States and Japan, especially between Seattle and Kobe, sister-cities. The registrant does not enter into any business transactions or engage in selling any goods. Give references of makers, exporters, importers to both Seattle and Kobe inquirers.

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 [x]

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
June 19, 1973	Kotaro Yamada, Director	K. Yamada

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.



KOBE CITY HALL
KOBE, JAPAN

December 7, 1972

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The "Kobe Trade Information Office" was opened in Seattle in December, 1961, by the Kobe Municipal Government, with the objects to facilitate the economic exchange between the United States and Japan and to promote the friendship between Seattle and Kobe. Since then, this office has been carrying on its activities steadily, owing to the valuable cooperation extended to it by the United States and the City of Seattle.

Kotaro Yamada is assigned as the director of the Kobe Trade Information Office since January 25, 1972, successfully fulfilling his duties and it is necessary for me to make him continue his service in the United States.

Until further notice of change to return to Kobe, Japan, I would be very grateful to you if you would kindly facilitate the extension of temporary stay in the United States for Kotaro Yamada and his family.

Yours very truly,

Tatsuo Miyazaki

Tatsuo Miyazaki
Mayor