U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

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

OMB NO. 1105-0003

Privacy Act Statement. Every registration statement, short form registration statement supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of information 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 Registration Unit in Washington, D.C. One copy of every such documents, other than information 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. Finally, the Attorney General intends, at the earliest possible opportunity, to make these public documents available on the Internet on the Department of Justice World Wide Web site.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .49 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, Registration Unit, Criminal 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.

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

Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson and Hand, Chartered
901 15th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005

2. Registration No. 3712

3. Name of foreign principal

Governor of Cordoba,
Argentina

4. Principal address of foreign principal
Chacabuco 1300 Barrio Nueva Cordoba
Codigo Postal 5000
Cordoba, Republica Argentina

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:
- ☐ Partnership
- ☐ Committee
- ☐ Corporation
- ☐ Voluntary group
- ☐ Association
- ☐ Other *(specify)* _____

☐ Individual-State nationality _____

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

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant. Governor of Cordoba, Argentina

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals. Governor Jose Manuel de la Sota

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

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, N/A

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

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 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

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
	Michael J. Roberts, President and Managing Attorney	Michael J. Roberts/SWS

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Exhibit B
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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. 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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Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand, Chartered	3712

3. Name of foreign principal

Governor of Cordoba, Argentina

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.

Performance of the above-mentioned agreement is set forth in the attached letter of agreement.

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

The activities to be engaged in by the Registrant on behalf of the foreign principal are set forth in the attached letter of agreement. The Registrant will engage in activities on behalf of the foreign principal that do not require registration under the Act. The Registrant is registering because some of its activities may require such registration.

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.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title Michael J. Roberts, President and Managing Attorney	Signature

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 interest, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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March 29, 1999

The Honorable José Manuel de la Sota
Governor of Cordoba
Paseo Colón 982 1 - Floor
Buenos Aires, Argentina

Via Fax
Attn.: Dr. Horacio Miró

Dear Governor de la Sota:

I hope this letter finds you well. Congratulations on your recent success.

On behalf of Verner Liipfert Bernhard McPherson and Hand ("Verner Liipfert") we would be pleased to assist you in organizing a visit to the United States in May 1999. Following are our recommendations for organizing the trip as well as the estimated cost to execute the plan.

I. Objective:

The objective of the trip would be to:

a) Assist the Province of Cordoba in developing stronger contacts with representatives of the US Government and private sector.

b) Present business opportunities to potential investors in the United States.

II. Cities to Visit

We recommend that Governor de la Sota visit Washington, D.C. and New York City during his May 1999 trip to the United States.

III. Meetings to be Organized

We recommend scheduling meetings with the following U.S. dignitaries:

a) One or two U.S. governors.

b) Members of Congress, both House and Senate, who are focused on foreign affairs.

c) Officials within the Administration, including but not limited to officials with the U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Treasury, U.S. Department of State, and U.S. Department of Justice.

d) Officials within the Inter-American Development Bank and OPIC (Overseas Private Investment Corporation).

e) Representatives of the Council of the Americas in New York.

f) Officials from various banks in New York City.

In addition to the aforementioned meetings, we also recommend that the Governor deliver a speech at a prestigious university in Washington, DC. and schedule meetings with a few members of the press to discuss his likely objectives once he takes office.

IV. Logistics

Before requesting the meetings, and using information sent to us by the Governor's office, we would prepare the necessary background materials (in English) on the Governor and the Province. Verner Liipfert also would be responsible for coordinating the logistics of local transportation and interpretation, if necessary, while in the United States.

In addition, we would research and prepare briefing book(s) for the Governor and his staff which would include background information, photos, and general descriptions of each of the people the Governor and his staff are scheduled to meet. Such a briefing book would also include a list of talking points or pertinent information on issues that each official follows.

V. Fees and Expenses

Verner Liipfert's professional fees for this project would be based on a fee of $35,000 plus expenses. Some of the expenses may include, but would not be not limited to, telecommunications, telephone, fax, photocopying, messenger services, private mail services, Nexis research (computerized research system), travel expenses, meals and lodging while traveling, if required.

Fifty percent of this fee, or $17,500, would be due upon signing this contract and the remaining $17,500 two weeks prior to the trip. Once the trip is complete, Verner Liipfert will send an invoice to Argentina for the additional expenses.

All payments shall be made by wire transfer to:

Bank:	Crestar, NA. 1445 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC
Bank Routing No. (ABA#)	054-000-522
Account Number:	206635575
Account Name:	Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson and Hand Master Depository Account
Bank Contact:	Pearlie Jordan

We hope this proposal is acceptable to you and look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

John A. Merrigan

M. Fabiana Jorge

If the foregoing is acceptable to you, please sign below and return the executed copy to us.

AGREED AND ACCEPTED:

Governor José Manuel de la Sota

Date:

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