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

Sinergia 7 (on behalf of the Government of the State of Hidalgo, Mexico)

4. Principal address of foreign principal

Blvd. Adolfo Lopez Mateos No. 1986
Col. Los Alpes
Mexico, DF Mexico 01010

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: N/A

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant.

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

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

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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

Consulting and Public Relations

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.)*

The State of Hidalgo is a client of Sinergia 7's, and thus supervises and pays for Sinergia 7's activities on its behalf.

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.

Sinergia 7 is owned and controlled by Hugo Scherer, a Mexican national.

Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature
Sept 3, 2002	Peter S. Pantaleo, President and Chief Executive Officer	

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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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1. Name of Registrant	2. Registration No.
Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand, Chartered	3712

3. Name of foreign principal

Sinergia 7 (on behalf of the Government of the State of Hidalgo, Mexico)

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.

The agreement between the registrant and the foreign principal is oral. The foreign principal agrees to pay the registrant in exchange for the registrant's strategic advice and counsel regarding economic development in the State of Hidalgo, Mexico.

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

See answer to No. 6, above.

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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 registrant will provide strategic advice and counsel to the foreign principal on matters concerning economic development in the State of Hidalgo, Mexico.

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.

The registrant will provide strategic advice and counsel to the foreign principal. The registrant's activities may also include inquiries on behalf of the foreign principal with members of the Legislative and Executive Branches. The registrant will not speak on behalf of the foreign principal to the executive and legislative branches of the United States Government except with the foreign principal's authorization.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
Sept 3, 2002	Peter S. Pantaleo, President and Chief Executive Officer	

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.