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. 1124-00

Privacy Act Statement. The filing of this document is required by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, for the purposes of registration under the Act and public disclosure. Provision of the information requested is mandatory, and failure to provide this information is subject to the penalty and enforcement provisions established in Section 8 of the Act. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of informational materials or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this Act a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, DC. Statements are also available online at the Registration Unit's webpage: http://www.fara.gov/. One copy of every such document, other than informational 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 in print and online at: http://www.fara.gov/.

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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
Sorini, Samet & Associates LLC

2. Registration No.
5839

3. Name of foreign principal
Fair Trade Center, Institute for International Trade and Investment

4. Principal address of foreign principal
2nd Floor, Kyodo Tsushin Building, 2-5, Toranamon 2-chrome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0001, Japan

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

- [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 nationality _____

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

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant
~~Fair Trade Center~~ Institute for International Trade and Investment

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals
~~Takashi Iwamoto, Executive Director~~

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

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,

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

The Center supports the WTO trading system and sustainable global economic development. The Center is a think tank and consulting institution on issues related to international economic law.

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 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 must 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.

The Center is affiliated with the Institute of International Trade and Investment. It has a Board of Trustees comprised of corporate members and academic experts.

Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature
March 6, 2008	Andrew Samet Principal	

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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.
Sorini, Samet & Associates LLC	5839

3. Name of Foreign Principal
Fair Trade Center, Institute for International Trade and Investment

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.

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

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	Signature
March 6/2008	Andrew Samet Principal	

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

CONTRACT AGREEMENT

Article 1. Scope of Services

1) Ronald J. Sorini, Principal of Sorini, Samet and Associates, LLC, located at 10 G Street, NE, Suite 710, Washington, DC 20002 (hereinafter referred to as "SSA") shall provide the Fair Trade Center, Institute for International Trade and Investment, 2nd Floor, Kyodo Tsushin Bldg., 2-5, Toranomon 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0001, Japan (hereinafter referred to as "CENTER") with services specified in the Annex A (hereinafter referred to as the "Services").

2) SSA shall provide the reports on the Services in the form of written reports in 10 copies to the CENTER by March 31, 2008.

3) In the event that any changes to the Scope of Service become necessary, both parties will review the situation in an effort to agree to the changes with adjustment necessary.

Article 2. Payment

For Services provided by SSA under this Agreement, the CENTER shall pay to SSA fees of USD 30,000.

Article 3. Verification by Japan Keirin Association

Considering that this research work is subsidized by Japan Keirin Association (hereinafter referred to as the "Association"), SSA agrees to the verification by the Association, should the Association decide to do so. If SSA refuses, evades or otherwise hinders the verification by the Association, whole or part of the fee paid by the CENTER shall be refunded.

Article 4. Preservation of the Record

SSA agrees to keep accounting and other records of this engagement (regardless to hard copies or digital) for the period of 7 years from the completion of the engagement.

Article 5. Copyrights

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1) The report shall become the property of the CENTER, and copyrights pertaining to the Report shall belong to the CENTER; provided, however, that the CENTER hereby grants to SSA a license to reproduce and use the Report in the course of performing Services.

2) As soon as SSA submits a Report to the CENTER, copyrights of the Report, including the rights provided in Japan Copyrights Law Article 27 (translation and adaptations rights) and 28 (secondary copyrights usage rights) shall be considered to be transferred from SSA to the CENTER. SSA agrees not to exercise or claim the ownership of copyrights of any kind on a Report.

3) SSA warrants that the Report will not violate or infringe copyrights or other rights of any third party.

Article 6. Interpretation

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of Japan.

FAIR TRADE CENTER

By: Takashi Iwamoto
Executive Director
Date: February 5, 2008

SORINI, SAMET AND ASSOCIATES, LLC

By: Ronald J. Sorini
Principal
Date: February 5, 2008

ANNEX A

Scope of research

Analysis of the US Position in DDA Negotiations

a. Background

In order to conclude DDA by the end of 2008, negotiations during the former half of 2008 determine the overall level of ambition and gains and losses of each Member.

The negotiating position of the US will have significant impact for the DDA in general and for Japan in particular. The US and Japan share common interest in high level of ambition of the Round, while each may have early conclusion of the Round, while each may have conflicting agenda to pursue in the negotiation.

b. Objective

In order to identify the windows of cooperation as well as potential conflicts with the US, it is essential to know what underlines the negotiating position of the US. In other words, in what agenda Japan can seek its interests in cooperation with the US, and in what agenda Japan must overcome potential conflicts with the US so as to further the cooperative relationship with the US?

The scope of interest here is primarily non-agricultural market access (NAMA) negotiations under the DDA.

c. Expected outcome

- The general performance of the textile and clothing industry,
- Conflicts of interest between producers and retailers/consumers, insiders and outsiders, preference beneficiaries (AGOA/non-AGOA),
- Strategy of textile and clothing industry that promotes early conclusion of DDA.

d. Timeframe

In view of the current timeline, it is expected that the provisional report to be furnished by the end of February and the final report by the end of March, 2008.