U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

Exhibit B

MODIFICATION

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

OMB NO. 1124-0004

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.

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 is 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/.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .33 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, Counterespionage Section, National Security 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.

1. Name of Registrant	2. Registration No.
Sorini, Samet & Associates, LLC	5839

3. Name of Foreign Principal
Department of Trade & Industry, Republic of the Philippines

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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.
Advocate for legislation that would provide for an enhanced bilateral US-Philippines trade relationship in the textile and apparel sector. The efforts include outreach to congressional offices, Administration officials, the US business community and potentially other US organizations and media.

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

The activities include research, drafting documents, distributing materials, meetings with Congressional and Administration offices

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 political activities are focused on advocating for enactment of legislation that will expand bilateral trade in the textile and apparel sector, including through meetings and presentation of written materials to Congressional offices, Administration officials, US business and potentially other civil society organizations and media.

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Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
7/9/2009	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

17 June 2009

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SUBJECT: CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Dear Mr. Sorini:

Following the encouraging remarks you stated in your e-mails of 11 and 14 May 2009 and on our teleconference on 08 June 2009, the DTI is pleased to extend the SS&A Contract for Professional Services dated 01 April 2008. As provided in 01 April 2008 Contract, the term of the Contract shall be three (3) years starting on the aforementioned date provided that each 12-month period is renewed in writing by DTI. Further, the Contract can be subject to modification by both parties.

Thus, the following stipulations shall govern this extension of Contract:

1. ***Objective and Faithful Compliance thereto.*** The objective of this Contract is to obtain the RP 809 + Apparel Pilot Program enacted into a United States Law, that allows duty-free entry and duty concessions for RP apparel exports by 31 March 2010. In the event that the enactment of the RP 809+ into law precedes the afore-mentioned date, SS&A shall continue to work for the "implementation" of the law.

   SS&A shall pursue this objective with complete dedication and work diligently to achieve the objectives for each quarter. DTI shall provide inputs and material information with respect to bilateral trade issues that may arise relative thereto. SS&A's services under this contract are advisory in nature and the obligations of the Parties are not dependent on any specific outcome of SSA's efforts.

2. ***Period.*** This Contract shall commence on 01 April 2009 and shall continue until 31 March 2010 unless terminated by either party. A monthly assessment shall be made by the DTI in order to ensure achieving the objective.

3. ***Payment.*** DTI agrees to pay SS&A the amount of ***FORTY FIVE THOUSAND UNITED STATES DOLLAR (US$45,000) for the period of 01 April 2009- 30 June 2009.*** Thereafter, payment shall be ***THIRTY THOUSAND UNITED STATES DOLLAR (US$30,000)*** monthly payable at the end of every quarter unless earlier terminated by the DTI.

4. ***Operating Cost.*** Normal business costs incurred by SS&A, including but not limited to telephone charges, taxi fare, photocopies, and messengerial services, shall be billable separately to DTI, but shall not exceed US$ 1,000.00 in any month without the prior approval of DTI. These operating costs shall be billed based on actual expenses covered by receipts and/or appropriate proof-of-disbursement.

5. ***Extraordinary Expenses.*** Expenses other than the normal costs for SS&A members, including but not limited to air fare (economy), hotel costs, meals, and out-of-pocket expenses, and air travel to travel to the Philippines or other locations shall be subject to the prior approval of DTI and will be invoiced separately with proper documentations, but the same shall not exceed US$4,000 per quarter.

6. ***Exclusivity and Non-transferability of the Contract.*** This Contract may not be transferred or assigned by SS&A to any third party without the prior written consent of DTI or its successor-in-interest. For purposes of this provision, third party to this Contract shall mean any entity or person other than SS&A.

7. ***Exemption for Third Party Liability***. SS&A and DTI shall hold each other exempt / free from any third party claim / liability arising from the performance of or by reason of the obligations, covenants and stipulations under this Contract.

8. ***Periodic Status Report.*** SS&A shall provide a written report to the DTI on its activities, transactions, covenants, stipulations, including the details appertaining thereto, and any matter performed under this Contract *monthly* or whenever required to by the DTI. In addition, a quarterly written report shall be submitted to the Head of the Garments and Textile Industry Development Office (GTIDO).

9. ***Modification of Previous Contract.*** This Contract modifies the terms of the Contract between DTI and SS&A dated April 1, 2008. In case of inconsistency between this Contract and the Contract dated April 1, 2008, this Contract shall take precedence over the April 1, 2008 Contract.

This Contract can only be modified when done in writing, and both parties must agree to such modification.

11. ***Resolution of Disputes***. In case of dispute in the interpretation and application of this Contract, the parties shall resolve the dispute through consultations with a view towards reaching amicable settlement.

10. ***Termination.*** Either party, with the consent of the other party, may for justifiable reason(s), terminate this Contract with a thirty-day written notice sent by the canceling / rescinding party clearly stating the reasons therefor, and duly accepted and consented to by the other party provided however, that in case the DTI terminates this Contract, it shall pay SS&A its monthly payment corresponding to the month/s rendered to be paid at the end of that quarter.

Should your company accept our proposal, kindly indicate your conformity by signing on the space provided below and return the signed copy to us.

Very truly yours,

For the Department of Trade and Industry

ELMER C. HERNANDEZ
Undersecretary

CONFORME:

For SORINI SAMET & ASSOCIATES LLC

RONALD J. SORINI

30 June 2009

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SUBJECT: SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS FOR THE CONTRACT WITH SS&A FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Dear Mr. Sorini:

This letter outlines supplemental terms that we propose be made as an integral part of our Contract dated17-June 2009. This letter sets forth the reporting mechanism and projected timelines for the period ending March 31, 2010.

1. ***Submission of Documents and Treatment of Information.*** Studies, research, recommendations, reports, documents and papers made and obtained during the period of and by reason of this Contract shall be submitted to the DTI through Undersecretary ELMER C. HERNANDEZ with copy furnished to Senior Undersecretary THOMAS G. AQUINO and Secretary PETER B. FAVILA monthly or whenever required to by the DTI. These shall form part of the monthly written report laid down in paragraph 8 of the Contract dated 17 June 2009. Monthly reports shall begin for the month of July 2009. In addition, written report shall be submitted to the Head of the GTIDO at the end of every quarter.

   Except when required by United States laws and regulations or with the permission of DTI, SS&A shall not divulge or disclose to any third party information or data obtained from DTI or GTIDO or received in the performance of this Contract. This provision shall be enforceable between the parties for a period of one (1) year from the termination or expiration of the Contract.

2. ***Roadmap, Targets and Projected Timelines***

   01 April 2009 - 30 June 2009

   - Work with technical consultant and U.S. apparel companies and mills to gather fabric information and narrow it down to establish a range of U.S. sourced fabrics

under the 809 component of the RP program and provide preliminary report.

- Develop background materials to promote the RP 809+ Apparel Pilot Program Bill.

- Introduction in the US Congress of the RP 809+ Apparel Pilot Program Bill.

01 July - 30 September 2009

- Meet with 75 Congressional offices and report to DTI on the meetings and strategy adjustments.

- Attempt to attract 10-20 co-sponsors for the RP bill.

- Report on the level of support of key U.S. stakeholders and provide DTI with recommendations on how to resolve any potential obstacles through out the process.

- Report on potential legislative vehicles.

01 October-31 December 2009

- Meet with additional 75 Congressional offices and report to DTI on the meetings and strategy adjustments.

- Attempt to attract 8-10 co-sponsors for the RP bill.

- Report on potential viable legislative vehicles.

- RP legislation attached to a viable vehicle.

01 January-31 March 2010

- The Bill is enacted into a Law (if not done in the previous quarter).

- In the event of the enactment of the RP 809+ into law, SS&A will work to come to an agreement with the Obama Administration officials on term of the implementation of the program, for the enforcement of the law with the US customs authorities, and begin working on promoting the RP program among the members of the U.S. textile industry and retailers.

3. ***Prior Notification and Consultation.*** To the extent practicable, SS&A shall notify and consult the DTI in advance for any changes in the bill. The DTI shall promptly provide its comments thereto which shall be communicated by SS&A to the sponsor of the bill.

4. ***Obligations of the Parties.*** The parties shall observe all substantial obligations provided under the Contract dated 17 June 2009 and this Supplemental Contract.

Should your company accept these supplemental terms, kindly indicate your conformity by signing on the space provided below and return the signed copy to us.

We look forward to working with you on this RP 809+ Bill to be a law.

Very truly yours,

For the Department of Trade and Industry

ELMER C. HERNANDEZ
Undersecretary

CONFORME:

For SORINI SAMET & ASSOCIATES LLC

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