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U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

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

INSTRUCTIONS. File this amendment form for any changes to a registration. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic amendment to registration statement and uploading any supporting documents at <u>http://www.fara.gov</u>.

Privacy Act Statement. The filing of this document is required for 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 the 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 1.5 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.
The Daschle Group, LLC	6280
3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indic	cated purpose or purposes:
☐ To give a 10-day notice of change in information as re	
I To correct a deficiency in	
Initial Statement	
Supplemental Statement for the period ending	

Other purpose (specify)

To give notice of change in an exhibit previously filed.

4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list;

Unexecuted contract between the VMRO DPMNE Political Party and The Daschle Group

5. Each item checked above must be explained below in full detail together with, where appropriate, specific reference to and identity of the item in the registration statement to which it pertains. (If space is insufficient, a full insert page must be used.)

The attached is the corrected unexecuted contract between the VMRO DPMNE Political Party and The Daschle Group to one that was previously filed. A fully executed and signed contract will be submitted when completed.

EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature¹)

This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

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U.S. Department of Justice	Exhibit B to Registration Statement
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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. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit B form at http://www.fara.gov.

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3. Name of Foreign Principal

VMRO DPMNE Political Party

Check Appropriate Box:

- 4. X 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.

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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 Daschle Group will provide strategic consulting to the VRMO DPMNE Political Party in connection with political and public policy issues before hte United States government impacting the VMRO DPMNE Political Party's interests.

9. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(0) of the Act and in the footnote below? Yes \square No \square

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 Daschle Group's activities may include communications on behalf of the VMRO DPMNE Political Party with officials in U.S. executive branch departments and agencies, with members of staff of the U.S. Congress, and with other individuals and organizations involved in governmental or public policy matters.

EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this Exhibit B to the registration statement and that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
· ·	Nathan Daschle, President and COO	Nathan Daschle
Footnote: "Political activity,"	' as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity whi	ch 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 or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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December 11, 2015

Emil Dimitriev Secretary General VMRO DPMNE Political Party ul.Makedonika 17a 1000 Skopje, Macedonia

Dear Mr. Secretary General:

Thank you for selecting The Daschle Group to represent VMRO DPMNE Political Party ("the Client") and provide you with strategic advice. It will be our pleasure to work with you. The purpose of this letter is to set forth certain information regarding the scope of work, our fees, billing, and terms.

Scope of Work

Under the terms of this agreement, The Daschle Group shall provide <u>strategic advice</u>, public policy consulting, and other services as requested by the Client during the term hereof, including, but not limited to:

- strategic advice on public policy issues impacting the Client's U.S. and international priorities;
- development of regulatory, legislative, and other public policy-related strategies and counsel and advice with respect to implementation of the strategies; and
- other strategic consultative services as necessary to advance the Client's goals.

In order to ensure ongoing and contemporaneous analysis of priority issues, The Daschle Group will participate in regularly scheduled conference calls, meetings, and unscheduled calls as necessary. You should, of course, feel free to communicate with us on any issue or matter that you feel deserves attention and we will endeavor to respond promptly.

Engagement Terms

I will be your principal contact. Additional attorneys and public policy advisors, in addition to their support staff and researchers, may work on this matter, as needed.

In consideration of our services, the Client agrees to pay The Daschle Group a monthly retainer of \$49,500 (forty-nine thousand five-hundred dollars). We will submit statements for services rendered for payment on a monthly basis. In addition, our billing statements will include charges and disbursements incurred by us in the course of providing services. Payment is due upon receipt.

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The term of this engagement will begin on November 1, 2015, and <u>will</u> continue indefinitely, unless terminated by either party. This engagement may be terminated by either of us upon notice to the other, subject to payment of all fees for services rendered and costs advanced through the date of termination.

If the terms described above are satisfactory to you, please so indicate by signing a copy of this letter, and returning the signed copy.

We are grateful for the opportunity to work with you and we look forward to a mutually satisfactory relationship.

Very truly yours,

THE DASCHLE GROUP

Nathan Daschle President & COO

Agreed and Accepted on

VMRO DPMNE Political Party

By:

Emil Dimitriev Secretary General