



U.S. Department of Justice

National Security Division

Counterintelligence and Export Control Section

Washington, DC 20530

September 20, 2016

[addressee deleted]

Re: [text deleted]

Dear [name deleted]:

This letter responds to your most recent letter of August 26, 2016, in which you enclosed a signed amendment to your May 31, 2016 Letter Agreement with [foreign consulate]. The amendment replaces Paragraph 2 of the May 31, 2016 Letter Agreement with language that clarifies that you will not be required to provide or engage in “any communication and/or representation with any U.S. governmental official, with any news media, or with any related third party regarding the Subject Matter as that term is used in the May 31, 2016 Letter Agreement. There has been no agreement whatsoever regarding my service concerning any Par. 2 activities.” (Emphasis in original.)

After carefully considering the amendment to the May 31, 2016 Letter Agreement along with information you previously provided in your letters, and the entirety of the letter contract with [foreign consulate], we have determined that you are not currently under an obligation to register pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.* We note that your contract with the [foreign consulate] terminates as of December 31, 2016.

This determination is based solely upon the information you have provided to us. Please inform this office of any changes in your interaction with [foreign consulate], as it may change your registration status.

If you have any questions or would like to present additional information, please contact me or [name deleted] at 202-233-0776.

Sincerely,

Heather H. Hunt, Chief
Registration Unit