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February 1, 2006

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Washington, DC 20515

United States Senate
Office of Public Records
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Washington, D.C. 20510-7116

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please find attached the amended Form LD2 midyear report for 2005 of the International Crisis Group (House ID# 37309000; Senate ID# 292436). The amendment corrects a clerical error we discovered last week when we learnt that a number of our employees whom we listed on Line of Form LD2 midyear report for 2005 were erroneously listed in the Senate database as registered lobbyists.

In the midyear report for 2005 the only employees that were intended to be reported for the period as registered lobbyists were Mark Schneider and Jennifer Leonard. In listing the other employees on Line 18 we followed the official instructions for Line 18 taken of the United States House of Representatives website, and listed all employees for the time period who engaged in "lobbying activities" as defined in the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, including (as noted in the Instructions) those who had spent less than 20% of their time engaged in lobbying. Follow the Instructions, we also specifically did not check the box labeled "New" on Line 18 because, noted above, we did not intend to register any of these newly listed employees as "lobbyists". None of them had crossed the 20% threshold triggering registration.

Please therefore remove from the Senate database and all other official records listing registered lobbyists for mid-year 2005 each of the following individuals set forth in Line 23 of the amended LD2 attached hereto in a way which makes clear that those individuals were not "lobbyists" during the time period and their inclusion in any database or other records as such in error: Samina Ahmed, Alexander Anderson, Suliman Baldo, Peter Beck, Matthew Bryden, Rhoderick Chalmers, Gareth Evans, Michael Hall, Joost Hiltermann, Sidney Jones, Toby Jones

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James Lyon, Robert Malley, Mike McGovern, John Norris, Greg Pollock, John Prendergast, Jason Stearns, Robert Templer, Colin Thomas-Jensen, Kathy Ward and Nicholas Whyte¹.

If for some reason you are unable to entirely remove all of the aforementioned individuals from your systems, please include a notation in International Crisis Group's file and in each such individual's file that each such individual was erroneously listed as a registered lobbyist of International Crisis Group, so that it is perfectly clear if someone were viewing the files in the future that during the time period covered by the mid-year report 2005 none of those individuals were "lobbyists".

Finally, we urge you to clarify the official instructions for Form LD2 in order to make clear who should be listed on Line 18. We now understand from discussions with your Offices that despite the official instructions to Form LD2 and the wording on the Form, only employees meeting the 20% threshold during the period the filing covers should be listed on line 18 (other than employees previously registered as lobbyists).

Thank you, in advance, for your assistance with this matter. Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any additional instructions.

Best regards,



Carole Corcoran
General Counsel & Director of Special Projects

¹ Please note that although the names of James Lyon and Matthew Bryden were listed in line 18 of the mid-year filing for 2005, their names do not show up on the Senate database as registered lobbyists and this is consistent with our reading of the instructions for Line 18. Nevertheless, following our conversation with your Offices, we have

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also removed these individuals from Line 18 of our earlier filing by listing them on Line 23 of our amended mid-year filing.

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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant name	
Organization	International Crisis Group
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported	
Address 1	1629 K Street NW Suite 450
City	Washington DC Zip Code 20006 Country USA
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)	
City	Brussels State Zip Code Country BEL
4a. Contact Name	b. Telephone number
Prefix Full Name	
Ms. Carole Corcoran	(212) 813-0820
	c. E-mail ccorcoran@crisisgroup.org
5. Senate ID #	292436
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self	6. House ID #
International Crisis Group	37309000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____ 11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____</p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>60,000</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Revenue Code</p>
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Registrant Name International Crisis Group Client Name International Crisis Group

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant is engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each code,** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code DEF - Defense (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue 

H.R. 3057 ("Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2006")
Iraq: advice on election process and security issues
North Korea: advice on security situation
Advice on Colombia and counternarcotics, Afghanistan, Balkans

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate, House, National Security Council, Department of State, Department of Defense

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for this*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Jennifer	Leonard		
Mark	Schneider		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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Registrant Name International Crisis Group Client Name International Crisis Group

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the re engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each code,** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code FOR - Foreign Relations (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.2601 ("Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007"); S. 600 ("Foreign Affairs Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2006 and 2007")
H.R. 3057 ("Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2006")

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17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate, House, Department of State, Department of Defense, USAID, National Security Council, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Jennifer	Leonard		
Mark	Schneider		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area FOR

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

Conflict prevention
 UN reform
 AIDS: Advice on military-to-military cooperation on HIV/AIDS and peacekeeping and AIDS
 Afghanistan: advice on elections, counter-drug strategy, security, and defense
 Armenia/Azerbaijan: advised on Nagorno Karabakh conflict
 Bolivia: advocating for different strategy in counternarcotics
 Central Asia Security: H.R. 3189 ("Central Asia Democracy and Human Rights Act of 2005")
 Colombia: advice on drug war
 Darfur: S. 495 ("Darfur Accountability Act of 2005"); H.R. 1424 ("Darfur Genocide Accountability Act of 2005");
 CON.RES.17 ("Calling on the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to assess the potential effectiveness of and requirements for a NATO-enforced no-fly zone in the Darfur region of Sudan"), urged support for African Union peacekeepers, advised on North-South Peace Agreement
 Haiti: Advice on postconflict peacekeeping and statebuilding
 Iraq: advice on election process and security issues
 Kosovo: advising on final status negotiations
 Lebanon: advising low-key approach to Lebanese elections
 Macedonia: advised on Ohrid Peace Agreement
 Nepal: advocating restoration of democracy and human rights
 North Korea: advice on security situation
 Pakistan: advocating pressure on administration on security and education issues.
 Peru: advocating different strategy in counternarcotics
 Saudi Arabia: S. 1171 ("Saudi Arabia Accountability Act of 2005")
 Serbia: civil society building and cooperation with the ICTY
 Tsunami Relief: H.R. 1550 ("Indian Ocean Tsunami Relief, Recovery, and Reconstruction Act of 2005")
 United Nations Reform: H.R. 2745 ("Henry J. Hyde United Nations Reform Act of 2005"), proposed changes

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

1 Samina Ahmed

3 Joost Hiltermann

2 Gareth Evans

4 Robert Malley

ISSUE UPDATE

Find the code to select below.

24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State Country
	Address	City
	C/S/Z	State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

1

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FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owners percent client
	City	State/Province Country	City		
			State Country		

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

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Registrant Name International Crisis Group Client Name International Crisis Group

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City State Zip Code Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City State Zip Code Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1 Alexander	Anderson		3 Peter	Beck	
2 Suliman	Baldo		4 Matthew	Bryden	

ISSUE UPDATE

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24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
	Address C/S/Z	City State Country
	Address C/S/Z	City State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owner's percent client
	Street Address City State/Province Country	City State Country		

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

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Registrant Name International Crisis Group Client Name International Crisis Group

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Rhoderick	Chalmers		<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Sidney	Jones	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 Michael	Hall		<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Toby	Jones	

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Address C/S/Z	City	State Country
Address C/S/Z	City	State

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address City	Address State/Province Country	Principal place of business (city and state or country) City State Country	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Owner percent client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City State Zip Code Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City State Zip Code Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1 James	Lyon		3 John	Norris	
2 Michael	McGovern		4 Greg	Pollock	

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	Address C/S/Z	City State Country
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26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

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28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, cli affiliated organization

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20. Client new address

Address

City State Zip Code Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City State Zip Code Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

	First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1	John	Prendergast		3	Robert	Templer
2	Jason	Stearns		4	Colin	Thomas-Jensen

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	First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Kathy	Ward		<input type="checkbox"/> 3		
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Nicholas	Whyte		<input type="checkbox"/> 4		

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