February 1, 2006

U.S. House of Representatives Office of the Clerk Legislative Resource Center, B-106 Cannon Building Washington, DC 20515

United States Senate Office of Public Records 232 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510-7116

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please find attached the amended Form LD2 midyear report for 2005 of the International Crisi Group (House ID# 37309000; Senate ID# 292436). The amendment corrects a clerical error w 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 Sta House of Representatives website, and listed all employees for the time period who engaged ir "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 Jone



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 fror 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 individua were "lobbyists".

Finally, we urge you to clarify the official instructions for Form LD2 in order to make clear wl should be listed on Line 18. We now understand from discussions with your Offices that despit 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 w our reading of the instructions for Line 18. Nevertheless, following our conversation with your Offices, we have



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



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LOBBYING REPORT

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

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16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

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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 Unior 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

Saudia 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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