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To be completed by the employee contacted			
Date and time of contact:	Name of the Employee(s) Contacted (Name and Title)	Brief description of the communication: (attach separate sheet if necessary)	
February 1-2, 2010	Gene Sperling Counselor to the Secretary of the Treasury	Gene often played a lead role in developing the Treasury Department's small business initiatives and as a result he had contact with Cam Fine. For ex: the day before the Administration announced the proposed Small Business Lending Fund (SBLF) (2/1/10) Gene and Cam connected and on the day of the announcement (2/2/10) Cam emailed Gene a copy of the statement ICBA released in support of the SBLF. They also corresponded about possibly arranging a meeting to further discuss the proposal <input type="checkbox"/>	
Name of the Employee(s) who prepared this form:			Date
Victoria Suarez-Palomo			March 18, 2010

Registered Lobbyist Name:	Title:	Firm or Organization:, if applicable	Client
Cam Fine	President and CEO	Independent Community Bankers of America (ICBA)	

From: [Cam Fine](#)
To: [Sperling, Gene;](#)
Subject: RE: ICBA Supports Administration's Small Business Lending Fund
Date: Tuesday, February 02, 2010 10:56:55 AM

I look forward to it. I will call you later this week to set up a meeting with you and your appropriate staff to work on some details of this very good proposal.

Cam

-----Original Message-----

From: Gene.Sperling@do.treas.gov [<mailto:Gene.Sperling@do.treas.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 02, 2010 9:31 AM
To: Cam Fine
Subject: RE: ICBA Supports Administration's Small Business Lending Fund

Thanks Cam. I think this will make a very big difference. Really look forward to working together on this.

Gene

-----Original Message-----

From: Cam Fine [<mailto:Cam.Fine@icba.org>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 02, 2010 8:25 AM
To: Sperling, Gene
Subject: FW: ICBA Supports Administration's Small Business Lending Fund
Importance: High

Gene,

ICBA put this statement out about half an hour ago to all media and press outlets nationwide. Feel free to share with your colleagues at the WH and Treasury.

Cam

Subject: ICBA Supports Administration's Small Business Lending Fund

ICBA issued the following news release today. A formatted version is attached for your convenience.

ICBA Supports Administration's
Small Business Lending Fund
Community Banks Stable and Secure Vehicle for Lending to Small
Businesses

Washington, D.C. (February 2, 2010)-The Independent Community Bankers of America (ICBA) released this statement following President Obama's call to Congress to establish a small business lending fund.

"ICBA is strongly supportive of the proposal announced today by the President and Treasury to further stimulate lending to the small business sector through community banks, which already make nearly half of all small business loans. Even during these challenging times, our nation's nearly 8,000 community banks remain committed to serving their local small business customers, which are pivotal to our country's economic recovery. This new \$30 billion small business lending fund would help small businesses fuel local job creation and economic stability. In fact, every dollar of capital that goes into community banks has the potential to be leveraged eight to ten times-a substantial and positive impact for both small businesses and our communities. ICBA will work closely with both Congress and the Administration on these and other initiatives that can benefit community banks and Main Street America."

For more information, visit www.icba.org <<http://www.icba.org/>> .

About ICBA

The Independent Community Bankers of America, the nation's voice for community banks, represents nearly 5,000 community banks of all sizes and charter types throughout the United States and is dedicated exclusively to representing the interests of the community banking industry and the communities and customers we serve. For more information, visit www.icba.org <<http://www.icba.org/>> .

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