



**Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463**

October 16, 2001

John P. Goodwin
PO Box 21780
Washington, DC 20009

Re: ADR 047 (MUR 5172)
American Animal Husbandry Coalition PAC and Sharon McFarlane, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Goodwin:

This letter is to advise you of the resolution of the complaint which you filed with the Federal Election Commission (the "Commission") on April 25, 2001 against the American Animal Husbandry Coalition PAC and Sharon McFarlane, Treasurer (collectively "respondents"). After receiving a reply from respondents, the Commission evaluated the case and entered into negotiations with a representative for respondents. The purpose of the negotiations was to achieve a satisfactory resolution of the issues involved in the complaint and, at the same time, promote compliance with the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Those negotiations resulted in an agreement that was approved by the Commission on October 15, 2001. A copy of the agreement is enclosed.

The Commission is obligated by federal statute to put settlement agreements on the public record. 11 C.F.R. § 111.20(b). Accordingly, this agreement and appropriate portions of the file will be forwarded to the Public Information Office to be placed on the public record within thirty days.

Sincerely,

Lynn M. Fraser
Assistant Director, ADR Office

Enclosure: Agreement

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