



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 3774

Dear Messrs. Bauer and Elias:

This is in reference to the complaints you filed with the Federal Election Commission on May 14, 1993 and February 22, 1995, on behalf of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, concerning alleged violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), arising out of soft money payments made by the National Republican Senatorial Committee ("NRSC") to various nonprofit organizations in the 1992 and 1994 election cycles. After conducting an investigation in this matter, on November 30, 1999, the Commission found that there was probable cause to believe that the NRSC and Stan Huckaby, as treasurer ("Respondents"), violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) and 441b(a), provisions of the Act and 11 C.F.R. §§ 102.5(a)(1)(i), 106.5(c) and 106.5(g)(1)(i), provisions of the Commission's regulations. On January 27, 2000, a conciliation agreement signed by the Respondents was accepted by the Commission, thereby concluding the matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed the file in this matter on January 27, 2000. A copy of this agreement is enclosed for your information.

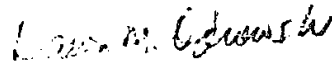
In addition to the probable cause findings, the Commission also previously found that there was reason to believe that the National Right to Life Committee, Inc., the American Defense Foundation, and Coalitions for America violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a); that Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life, Inc., and the Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life Committee for a Pro-Life Congress and Jacqueline Schweitz, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a) and 11 C.F.R. § 102.5(a)(1). However, following the investigation and after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action against those

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respondents and closed the file in this matter as to them. Additionally, the Commission also previously found that there was reason to believe the *Good Government Committee* violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 433 and 434 but determined to take no further action and closed the file as to it; found no reason to believe that the Free Congress Foundation/National Empowerment Television and the Christian Coalition violated the Act based on the complaints and closed the file as to them; and closed the file as to Senator Phil Gramm, Curt Anderson, National Right to Life Committee PAC and Amarie Natividad, as treasurer, Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation PAC and Frederick Pfister, as treasurer, Santorum '94 and Judith McVerry, as treasurer, and Rod Grams for U.S. Senate and Timothy B. Schmidt, as treasurer.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure  
Conciliation Agreement

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