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August 7, 2000

Mr. Darryl R. Wold  
Chairman  
Federal Election Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 5043

Dear Mr. Wold:

I am requesting an extension until September 15, 2000 of the time you have allotted to me to respond to the allegations you have made in your letter dated July 20, 2000 on the following grounds:

- (1) The letter and accompanying material were sent to the address of Mike Burkhold, and were signed for by his wife, and I was not copied with either the letter or the materials;
- (2) I have only today received a copy of the letter and the materials, and my job requires me to travel frequently and for considerable periods of time;
- (3) Mike Burkhold is material to this proceeding and may have information that I do not have, and is at the present time residing in London, the United Kingdom, and will not return to the United States until August 26, 2000.
- (4) I will need time to consult with Mike after his return to the United States.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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