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In re: MUR: 5581

Dear Mr. Jordan,

I have enclosed Nader for President 2004's response to Complaint MUR 5581 recently filed with your office. Please note that I am acting as counsel for both the Committee and for Carl Mayer, Treasurer.

The bulk of the assertions in this latest complaint, i.e., those concerning Oregon, Michigan and New Hampshire, are identical to earlier complaints filed by other parties to which the Nader campaign has already responded.

These earlier complaints include MUR 5475 and MUR 5489 (Oregon), MUR 5533 (Michigan) and MUR 5513 (New Hampshire).

Accordingly, the Nader campaign respectfully directs the Commission's attention to its responses to these prior complaints which are hereby adopted as the campaign's response to the instant assertions concerning Oregon, Michigan and New Hampshire.

To avoid burdening the file, we have not attached these prior responses, but will gladly supply additional copies to the Commission if that would be helpful.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you for your consideration of our response.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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The above named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

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