



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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Daniel Schneider

Washington, DC 20008

RE: MUR 5581

Dear Mr. Schneider:

This in reference to the complaint you filed October 25, 2004. On June 23, 2005, the Federal Election Commission severed the respondents and allegations in MUR 5581 that relate to activity in Michigan, Oregon, and New Hampshire. With respect to allegations that relate to activity in Arizona, the Commission, on June 23, 2005, found reason to believe that Nader for President 2004 and Carl M. Mayer, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) and 441b, the Arizona Republican Party and Woody Martin, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a) and 434(b), Nathan Sproul and Sproul & Associates, Inc. violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b, and Steve Wark violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a and 441b(a). After considering the circumstances of the matter, the Commission determined, on April 21, 2006, to take no further action as to Nader for President 2004 and Carl M. Mayer, in his official capacity as treasurer, the Arizona Republican Party and Woody Martin, in his official capacity as treasurer, Nathan Sproul, Sproul & Associates, Inc., and Steve Wark.

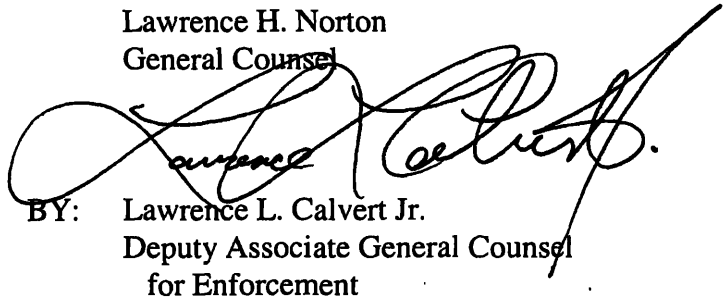
Documents related to MUR 5581 will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

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The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. *See* 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

Sincerely,

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Enclosure
General Counsel's Report

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