

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Washington State Democratic Central
Committee and Habib M. Habib, in his
official capacity as treasurer.

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CERTIFICATION

I, Mary W. Dove, Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby
certify that on January 26, 2007, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 take the
following actions

MUR # 5898

1. Open a MUR
2. Find reason to believe that Ryan Pennington knowingly and willfully violated 2 U.S.C. § 432(b)(3), and approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated January 23, 2007.
3. Take no action at this time whether the Washington State Democratic Central Committee and Habib M. Habib, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b) by failing to timely disclose expenditures.
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5. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Lenhard, Mason, Toner, von Spakovsky, Walther, and

Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

January 26, 2007
Date

Mary W. Dove
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Secretary of the Commission

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