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Federal Election Commission
Office of Complaints Examination
and Legal Administration
Attn: Kim Collins, Paralegal
999 E Street, NW
Washington D.C. 20436

RE: MUR 6883

Dear Sirs or Madam,

I write you today in response to the complaint filed by Timothy Kavis (who was working at that time for the Dan Newhouse for Congress campaign team) on October 16, 2014. We received a formal letter from the FEC with the complaint that was date-stamped October 23, 2014 but already had fixed the problem.

We first heard of the complaint from a reporter from KEPRTV who had been made aware of the complaint by Newhouse campaign spokesman, Jim Keough. While the complaint delineated a technical violation involving a missing part of a campaign TV ad disclaimer, we took it very seriously. The Didier for Congress Campaign Manager Larry Stickney responded to the reporter immediately (see attached e-mail marked as "exhibit A") that the Didier team would investigate the complaint and if out of compliance "the ad would be pulled and fixed immediately". Stickney then immediately contacted the campaign's media buyer (Kathryn Serkes) and copied the campaign attorney Stephen Pidgeon, candidate Clint Didier, and Chris Burghard (producer of the subject non-compliant campaign ad) to make them aware of the complaint - see e-mail and attachment marked as "Exhibit B".

When it was discovered that indeed, the disclaimer was incomplete, Didier's media team immediately swung into action, contacting the broadcasters instructing them to "pull the Didier spots" (see e-mails marked as "Exhibit C") until fixed; and to instruct the producer of the ad (Chris Burghard) as well as another production person (Mike Vossler) to move as quickly as possible to insert the missing disclaimer with all possible speed so we could resume the ad campaign (see e-mails marked "Exhibit D").

To summarize, the Didier campaign's immediate actions were to notify the TV stations to pull the ads off the air; correctly edited the ad (in fact, we had two different parties (Burghard and Vossler) working on a correct version, then provided the stations with properly ID'd campaign ads (see e-mails marked "Exhibit D").

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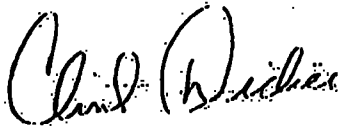
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While we acknowledge that the producer of this particular campaign ad erred in on providing a full disclaimer, there was nothing to be gained by it and we believe it was an honest mistake that was made in the heat of the battle during the frantic last days of the campaign.

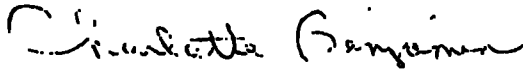
Our team's call to action and successful efforts immediately rectify the situation provides proof positive of the campaign's commitment and respect for Federal Election Commission laws and regulations.

We respectfully request that no action be taken on this matter.

With sincere thanks and appreciation,



Clint Didier, Candidate
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Charlotte Benjamin, Treasurer
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Attachments: Exhibit A, B, C and D

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