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Federal Election Commission  
Office of Complaints Examination  
and Legal Administration  
attn: Donna Rawls, Paralegal  
999 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20436

OFFICE OF GENERAL  
COUNSEL

Re: MUR 7069

Dear Ms. Rawls,

This letter is intended to supplement my prior letter, and is submitted in response to the complaint filed by Tom Garrett for Congress.

The letter that is the subject of the Garrett Campaign's complaint was sent to 1,500 people in advance of the Fifth District Republican Convention. I wrote and distributed the letter without any involvement from any of the candidates. I paid all the costs involved (paper, envelopes, printer cartridge ink, and postage) from my own personal funds. The total cost was no more than \$900.

In Virginia, disclaimers commonly appear in the "Authorized by" form, which I used as a guide. I was not aware at the time that the FEC's rules applied. However, the disclaimer I included on the letter clearly identifies the source of the letter, indicates that I and I alone authorized the letter, and my home address appears at the top of the letter. All of the information required by the FEC's rules appears in the letter, even if it is not in the exact form specified.

I respectfully request that the Federal Election Commission dismiss this case.

Sincerely,



Ron Hedlund