



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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RE: MUR 6730
Michael Williams for Congress

Dear Mr. Josefiak:

On June 22, 2012, you were notified that in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities, the Federal Election Commission (the "Commission") became aware of information suggesting that Michael Williams for Congress and Steven R. Hicks in his official capacity as treasurer (collectively, the "Committee") may have violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"), by retaining \$458,824.35 in contributions for an anticipated special election in which Williams did not participate because it did not occur. On July 20, 2012, you responded on behalf of the Committee. On April 9, 2013, the Commission found reason to believe that the Committee violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(f), a provision of the Act, for receiving contributions in excess of the Act's limits.

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In addition, please note that you have a legal obligation to preserve all documents, records and materials relating to this matter until such time as you are notified that the Commission has closed its file in this matter. *See* 18 U.S.C. § 1519. In the meantime, this matter will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. §§ 437g(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A), unless you notify the Commission in writing that you wish the investigation to be made public.

We look forward to your response.

On behalf of the Commission,



Ellen L. Weintraub
Chair