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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)
) MURs 6869R and 6942R
Commission on Presidential Debates;)
Frank Fahrenkopf Jr., Co-Chair;)
Dorothy S. Ridings, Co-Chair; Michael)
D. McCurry; Janet H. Brown; Howard)
G. Buffet; John C. Danforth; John)
Griffen; Antonia Hernandez; John I.)
Jenkins; Newton N. Minow; Richard D.)
Parsons; Dorothy S. Ridings; Alan K.)
Simpson)

CERTIFICATION

I, Dayna C. Brown, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on March 29, 2017, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 4-0 to take the following actions in the above-captioned matter:

1. Find no reason to believe that the Commission on Presidential Debates, Frank Fahrenkopf Jr. as Co-Chair, Dorothy S. Ridings as Co-Chair, Michael D. McCurry, Janet H. Brown, Howard G. Buffet, John C. Danforth, John Griffen, Antonia Hernandez, John I. Jenkins, Newton N. Minow, Richard D. Parsons, Dorothy S. Ridings, and Alan K. Simpson violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30116(f) or 30118(a).
2. Find no reason to believe the Commission on Presidential Debates violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30103 or 30104.
3. Approve the Factual & Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 15, 2017, subject to the edits circulated by Commissioner Weintraub's office on March 29, 2017 at 2:17 p.m. and those made by the Office of General Counsel at the table.
4. Approve the appropriate letters.
5. Close the file.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion. Commissioner Walther was recused and did not vote.

Attest:

March 30, 2017
Date

Dayna C. Brown
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Secretary and Clerk of the Commission

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