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April 14, 1999

Via Federal Express

Federal Election Commission
999 E. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Attn: General Counsel

Re: MUR #4818

Dear General Counsel:

I am enclosing a Response to the Complaint filed in the above styled cause on behalf of Gene Stipe.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Naifeh
for Larry Derryberry
Larry Derryberry

cc: Gene Stipe

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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Walt Roberts for Congress Committee)

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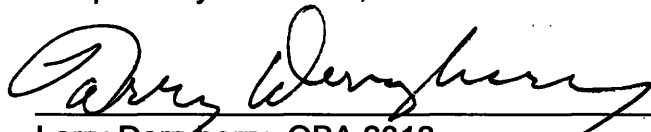
COMES NOW, Gene Stipe, an individual, by and through his attorney, and provides the following response to the complaint filed herein.

Respondent would request that the complaint be dismissed as to him for the following reasons:

- A. The document received on April 1, 1999, does not comply with the requirements for a Complaint as set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations § 111.4, 2 U.S. C. 437g(a)(1).
- B. The document purporting to be a complaint nowhere alleges any violation of the laws or regulations by Gene Stipe, nor does it even mention the name "Gene Stipe".

Having fully answered, Gene Stipe, respectfully requests that this complaint be dismissed and that this matter be closed as to him.

Respectfully submitted,



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