



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

March 30, 1999

Mr. Charles J. Cooper, Esquire
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RE: MUR 4865
National Rifle Association
Wayne LaPierre, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Cooper:

On December 7, 1998, your clients were notified that the Federal Election Commission received a complaint from Mr. Weldon H. Clark, Jr. alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. At that time your clients were given a copy of the complaint and informed that a response to the complaint should be submitted within 15 days of receipt of the notification.

On March 19, 1999, the Commission received additional information from the complainant pertaining to the allegations in the complaint. Enclosed is a copy of this additional information.

If you have any questions, please contact Alva E. Smith on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "F. Andrew Tarley".

F. Andrew Tarley
Supervisory Attorney
Central Enforcement Docket

cc: Mr. Robert Dowlut, Esq.
Mr. Michael Iojek, Esq.

Enclosure