

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
) RAD Referral 99NF-19
Freedom Leadership Political)
Action Committee and James M.)
Newberry, as treasurer)

MUR 4937

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene Harris, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on October 19, 1999, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions with respect to RAD Referral 99NF-19:

1. Open a MUR.
2. Find reason to believe that Freedom Leadership Political Action Committee and James M. Newberry, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a)(4)(A)(i), (iii) and (iv), and enter into conciliation prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
3. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, conciliation agreement, and the appropriate letter, as recommended in the General Counsel's September 30, 1999 report.

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Commissioners Elliott, Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom,
Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

October 21, 1999
Date

Darlene Harris
Darlene Harris
Acting Deputy Secretary
of the Commission