



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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Travis A. Pickens
A Professional Corporation
101 Park Avenue, Suite 250
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Re: MUR 5781

Dear Mr. Pickens:

On August 8, 2006, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. A copy of the complaint was forwarded to you at that time.

Upon further review of the allegations contained in the complaint, the Commission, on June 28, 2007, voted to dismiss this matter. The Factual and Legal Analysis, which more fully explains the Commission's decision, is enclosed for your information. In addition, a Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact April J. Sands, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Thomaseia P. Duncan
General Counsel

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BY: Sidney Rocke
Assistant General Counsel

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Factual and Legal Analysis

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FACTUAL AND LEGAL ANALYSIS

MUR 5781

RESPONDENT:

TRAVIS A. PICKENS

I. INTRODUCTION

This matter involves alleged coordination between Michael Earl ("Mick") Cornett, who ran unsuccessfully in 2006 to fill the seat in Oklahoma's 5th Congressional District vacated by Ernest Istook, and Mick Cornett Video Productions, Inc. ("MCVP"), a company owned by Mr. Cornett. Specifically, Ralph Harvey, the complainant, received a mailer from MCVP fewer than 45 days before the primary election that included a photograph of Mr. Cornett. Mr. Harvey asserts he had no previous dealings with MCVP, nor did he have any use for video services. He, therefore, believes that the mailer was "an illegal corporate contribution done in coordination with the candidate" to increase name and face recognition for Mr. Cornett. Mr. Harvey also alleges in his complaint that the mailers were only sent to Republican voters.

Travis Pickens was named as a Respondent in this case. Because he is merely the Registered Agent for MCVP and had no involvement in this matter, the Commission dismisses the Complaint with respect to him without admonishment.

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