

United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 11-1354

September Term 2011

FEC-AO2011-15

Filed On: February 10, 2012

Abdul Karim Hassan,

Petitioner

v.

Federal Election Commission,

Respondent

BEFORE: Henderson, Tatel, and Griffith, Circuit Judges

ORDER

Upon consideration of the motion to certify questions to the Supreme Court or to expedite the case, the opposition thereto, and the reply; and the motion to dismiss, the opposition thereto, and the reply, it is

ORDERED that the motion to dismiss for lack of jurisdiction be granted. This court does not have jurisdiction to review directly the Federal Election Commission's advisory opinion issued under 2 U.S.C. §§ 437d(a)(7), 437f. See Public Citizen, Inc. v. Nat'l Highway Traffic Safety Admin., 489 F.3d. 1279, 1287 (D.C. Cir. 2007) ("Initial review [of agency decisions] occurs at the appellate level only when a direct-review statute specifically gives the court of appeals subject-matter jurisdiction to directly review agency action."). It is

FURTHER ORDERED that the motion to certify questions to the Supreme Court or to expedite the case be dismissed as moot.

Pursuant to D.C. Circuit Rule 36, this disposition will not be published. The Clerk is directed to withhold issuance of the mandate herein until seven days after resolution

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of any timely petition for rehearing or petition for rehearing en banc. See Fed. R. App. P. 41(b); D.C. Cir. Rule 41.

Per Curiam