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Via Facsimile
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Re: MUR 4883

Dear Ms. McLaughlin:

This is to advise you that the non-response from your office regarding the use of ADR procedures, described in my letter to you of September 29, 2000, to resolve the complaint, MUR 4883, filed against the Westchester Coalition for Legal Abortion, Inc., has been taken as disinterest in the ADR program.

While I enjoyed the opportunity to describe the Commission's ADR program to you during our conversations over the past two months, my earlier letter indicated that your failure to respond affirmatively to that letter would be taken as notice of your decision not to pursue the ADR option; accordingly, your case is being transferred to the Commission's Office of General Counsel.

If you have any questions about this matter I suggest that you contact the Office of General Counsel.

Sincerely,



Allan D. Silberman,
Director, ADR Office