



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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July 9, 2001

Mr. Frank J. Daley, Jr.
Executive Director
State of Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission
P. O. Box 95086
Lincoln, Nebraska 68509

ADR # 008/PMUR # 387

Dear Mr Daley:

This letter is to advise you of the settlement of the matter that was brought to the attention of the Federal Election Commission by your office on November 8, 1999. The matter concerned a contribution by Omaha State Bank to the Bob Kerrey for US Senate Committee and raised issues regarding a possible violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

After receiving a reply from the Respondent, the Commission evaluated the case and entered into negotiations with the Respondent. The purpose of the negotiations was to achieve a satisfactory resolution of the issues involved in the matter and at the same time promote compliance with the Act. Those negotiations resulted in a negotiated agreement that was approved by the Commission on June 26, 2001. A copy of the agreement is enclosed.

The entire matter will be placed on the public record in the next weeks.

Sincerely,



Allan D. Silberman,
Director, ADR Office

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