



Comptroller of the Currency
Administrator of National Banks

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Mr. Jeff Jordan
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Subject: Referral of a Possible Violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b
Superior Savings of New England, N.A., Branford, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Jordan:

Pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437, the following information concerning a possible violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 is being referred to your attention.

In the course of its supervisory and regulatory responsibilities, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) discovered possible violations of 2 U.S.C. § 441b by Superior Savings of New England, N.A., Branford, Connecticut (Bank). The OCC has determined that the Bank made political contributions to campaigns in Georgia, New York, and New Jersey in 2001 and 2002. It is our understanding that the contributions total approximately \$4,000 for both years.

This information is being provided to allow the Federal Election Commission to carry out its statutory and regulatory mandates. We are available to meet with you or your staff to review any documents obtained in connection with this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Amundson, Counsel, Enforcement & Compliance Division at (202) 874-5371.

Sincerely,

Daniel P. Stipano
Deputy Chief Counsel

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