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August 23, 2004

Mr. Jeff S. Jordan  
Office of the General Counsel  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20463

**RE: MUR 5501 – The Tides Foundation and The Democratic  
Justice Fund**

Dear Mr. Jordan:

Please find enclosed a designation of counsel for The Tides Foundation for the above-referenced matter under review. We have not enclosed a separate designation of counsel for the Democratic Justice Fund because the Justice Fund is a project of The Tides Foundation, not a separate entity.

This letter is also to request an extension of time of 20 days to respond to the complaint filed against The Tides Foundation. The Tides Foundation received the complaint on or about August 16, 2004. A response originally would have been due on August 31. With the 20-day extension, a response will now be due on September 20, 2004.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



B. Holly Schadler  
Counsel to The Tides Foundation

cc: Cynthia Rowland

Enclosure

## STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

Please use one form for each respondent.

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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

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Print Name

8/17/04  
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