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Dear Mr. Jordan:

Thank you for your letter of August 9, 2004, which I received this week, regarding MUR 5501.

A review of the complaint attached to the letter does not reveal any specific or identifiable claimed violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act by Miramax. Therefore, there is no allegation to which we can formulate a legal or factual reply. Please note that we are confident that no violation of any kind has occurred.

Please contact me if the MUR develops into a specific allegation against Miramax. We may wish to offer a reply at that time.

We wish this matter to remain confidential under 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(B) and § 437g(a)(12)(A).

Sincerely,

Alan Friedman  
General Counsel & EVP, Business Affairs