



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20463

October 31, 2005

Mr. Bruce Harvie
Jim Feldkamp for Congress
2600 Dewitt Avenue
Alexandria, VA 22301

Re: ADR 265/MUR 5543

Dear Mr. Harvie:

Enclosed is the signed copy of the agreement between the Federal Election Commission and the Jim Feldkamp for Congress Committee and Ronald D. Calkins, Treasurer, resolving the matter that was initiated by a complaint filed against the Committee. The agreement, ADR 265/MUR 5543, was approved by the Federal Election Commission on October 20, 2005 -- the effective date of the agreement.

At the same time, the Commission determined after considering the circumstances of the matter to exercise its prosecutorial discretion and to take no action against the respondent James Lee Feldkamp. Accordingly, the Commission closed the file on this matter on October 20, 2005.

As you are aware, the settlement agreement will be made part of the record that is released to the public. In addition, as of January 1, 2004, the Commission also will place on the record copies of correspondence exchanged between your office and this office prior to our entry into settlement negotiations and reports prepared by this office to assist the Commission in its consideration of this matter. The Commission is obliged by Federal statute to place on the public record documents in closed enforcement and alternative dispute resolution cases; accordingly, copies of documents relative to this matter will be forwarded shortly to the FEC's Public Information Office.

This agreement effectively resolves the issues raised in the aforementioned complaint filed against the Committee.

I appreciate your assistance in resolving this matter and helping to bring this case to a mutually satisfactory conclusion.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Allan D. Silberman".

Allan D. Silberman,
Director, ADR Office

Enclosure: a/s

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