



**Federal Election Commission  
Washington, DC 20463**

June 22, 2006

William B. Adams  
629 A Avenue  
Coronado, CA 92118

Re: ADR 326 (MUR 5706)

Dear Mr. Adams:

On February 10, 2006, the Federal Election Commission ("FEC" or "Commission") attempted to notify you of a complaint alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. A copy of the complaint was enclosed with the notification.

After considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to exercise its prosecutorial discretion and to take no action against you. In its memorandum to the Commission, dated June 12, 2006, this office stated:

Complainant, TheRestofUs.org, alleged that William Bain Adams ("Respondent") exceeded the federal aggregate contribution limit of \$25,000 in 2002. The complaint asserted that Respondent contributed a total of \$28,000 during 2002. In an amendment filed with the Commission, the Complainant alleged that after further research, it concluded that Respondent actually contributed \$25,500 during 2002, rather than the amount alleged in the original complaint, thus exceeding the limit by \$500. Respondent did not file an answer to the allegations.

Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on June 20, 2006.

The FEC is obligated by federal regulations to make a finding to terminate its proceedings public, as well as the basis therefore. 11 C.F.R. § 111.20(b). In addition, the Commission will also place on the record copies of the complaint, correspondence exchanged between Respondent and the Commission, and reports prepared for the Commission by this office to assist in its consideration of this matter. Accordingly, copies of documents relative to this matter will be forwarded shortly to the FEC's Public Information Office.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter please be in touch. My telephone number is 202-694-1665.

Sincerely,

Lynn M. Fraser  
Assistant Director, ADR Office

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