



Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463

September 18, 2006

Brian C. Bustamante, Esq.
Gonzalez for Congress
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Re: ADR 343 (MUR 5762)

Dear Mr. Bustamante:

On June 26, 2006, the Federal Election Commission ("FEC" or "Commission") notified Gonzalez for Congress and Brian C. Bustamante, Treasurer and Francisco "Frank" Jose Gonzalez-Soldevilla 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 has determined to exercise its prosecutorial discretion, and to issue an admonishment, but take no further action against the Respondents. In its memorandum to the Commission, dated August 29, 2006, this office stated:

Summary: Complainant alleges that Gonzalez for Congress, Brian Bustamante, Treasurer, and Francisco "Frank" Jose Gonzalez-Soldevilla (collectively "Respondents") failed to file any disclosure reports after October 2004. The complaint also alleges that Respondents are promoting the candidate's personal business on his campaign website. Respondents contend that there was no intentional violation of the Act. Respondents contend that after losing the 2004 General Election, the Candidate informed the Treasurer he did not intend to run again on the Libertarian ticket, and would be winding down the committee. The Treasurer asserts that he had no campaign records, and did not realize there had been no termination report filed, until the candidate contacted him in the fall of 2005. The Treasurer contends he filed all past reports by May 22, 2006.

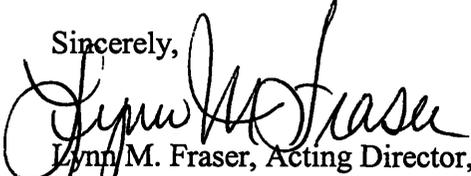
Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on September 15, 2006.

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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(s) 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.

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

Sincerely,


Lynn M. Fraser, Acting Director,
Alternative Dispute Resolution Office

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