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OFFICE OF GENERAL
COUNSEL

Re: Complaint Against Robert Waechter

PRE-MUR # 552

Dear Mr. Jordan,

The Sarasota County Sheriff's Office, on behalf of Lourdes Ramirez, files this amended complaint, in addition to the previous, charging violation of the Code of Federal Regulations prohibiting contributions from being made in the name of another.

During the course of the investigation by the Sarasota County Sheriff's Office (case# 12-72529) related to the previous complaint of a fraudulent contribution to the campaign of Keith Fitzgerald, Detective Adam Kaskey discovered additional evidence that the same card was used to make a \$250 contribution to the Obama Victory Fund 2012 committee. This contribution was again determined to have originated from the IP address located at the business owned by Robert Waechter and using the card that he purchased as captured on video. This particular contribution was made in the name of "Lourdes Ramierz" (misspelled), listing her occupation, address, and occurred on October 18, 2012.

As was too case with the previous complaint filed with your office, the victim confirms that she did not authorize Mr. Waechter to make the contribution on her behalf. She furthermore believes that he did so in order to influence the voting public from supporting her in the future during her possible intended campaign to be County Commissioner in Sarasota County and requests the Sheriff's Office to file this complaint with your office.



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Respectfully submitted,



Captain Jeffrey M. Bell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of January, 2013.



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