



**Federal Election Commission  
Washington, DC 20463**

February 16, 2017

William J. Cadigan  
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Re: ADR 815 (MUR 7120) Pete for Congress  
Jim Ryan & Associates

Dear Mr. Cadigan:

On August 10, 2016, the Federal Election Commission ("FEC" or "Commission") sent notification regarding 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 take no further action in this matter.

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, 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 202-694-1661.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Krista J. Roche".

Krista J. Roche  
Assistant Director  
Alternative Dispute Resolution Office