



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Re: AOR 1977-28

Honorable Vance Hartke
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Dear Mr. Hartke:

This refers further to your letter of June 17, 1977, requesting an advisory opinion concerning application of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

By letter of August 1, 1977 (copy attached), we requested additional information in order to qualify your opinion request as presenting a "specific factual situation" which is one of the statutory prerequisites for issuance of an advisory opinion. 2 U.S.C. §437f(a). A considerable period of time has elapsed since our letter was sent, but we have received no reply from you.

Since circumstances may have developed which obviate your need for an opinion, we assume that you wish the Commission to consider your request of June 17, 1977 as withdrawn. However, if we receive the previously requested information from you within the next 15 days, we will resume consideration of an appropriate response to your inquiry.

Sincerely yours,

William C. Oldaker
General Counsel

Enclosure a/s

