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Washington, DC 20463

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Commission Secretary's Office 

DATE: November 19, 2013

SUBJECT: Comments on Draft AO 2013-17
(Tea Party Leadership Fund)

Attached is a timely submitted comment received from Daniel Torre. This matter is on the November 21, 2013 Open Meeting Agenda.

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Public Comment on AO 2013-17

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Dear Commission:

I am moved to make my opinion known about the preposterous request by the TPLF to enable them to keep their contributors hidden from public view. It is a long standing tenent of our nation that all political contributions are public knowledge. We have seen the erosion of this bulwark of democracy through the Citizens United decision, which lets large donors launder their contributions through sham "social welfare" organizations.

Anyone with any common sense knows these super PACs are not "social welfare" organizations. How our own Supreme Court can sanction this is almost treasonous.

The Tea Party is a large successful organization that has no justification for this request other than to see how far they can push the rules to bend them to their desire.

If you let the TPLF hide their donors then anyone in the *world* can and will influence and buy our elections!

Greed and power know no limits, and corrupt absolutely. Are you going to enable this nail to be driven in our American coffin?

Sincerely,

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