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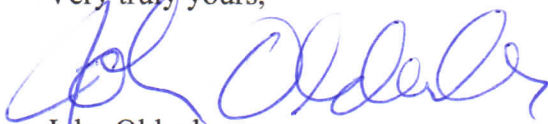
Re: Withdrawal of Request under 11 C.F.R §112.1 for an Advisory Opinion regarding the Application of 52 U.S.C. §30119 of the Federal Election Campaign Act (FECA) to an Individual Contractor with the United States Postal Service, AO 2018-14 (Oldenburg)

Dear Members:

I today received by email the draft advisory opinion in the above-referenced matter. The draft has provided me reasoned guidance, sufficiently authoritative for me, to inform me of my obligations under 52 U.S.C. 213019(a); and it further appears to me to be unlikely that the Commission would not to approve the draft. Since that is the case, as outlined in the Commission's webpage describing the applicable advisory opinion request process, by this letter I am withdrawing my request for an advisory opinion. I appreciate the courtesies shown to me and the efforts expended on my behalf.

The webpage did not inform the reader of the specific manner by which the delivery a withdrawal request was to be served. Given the short time before the Commission's October 25 meeting, I am hopeful, since that the draft was sent to me by email and since email and fax delivery are acceptable delivery methods for transmitting comments upon an advisory opinion draft, that those means of service are also satisfactory for transmitting a withdrawal request. If not, I ask the courtesy of being immediately informed by email so that I can timely mail you the hard copy of this withdrawal request.

Very truly yours,



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