

PATTON BOGGS, L.L.P.
2550 M STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20037-1350
(202) 457-6000
FACSIMILE: (202) 457-6315

JUN 15 3 20 PM '98

WRITER'S DIRECT DIAL
(202) 457-5279

June 11, 1998

Mark Shonkwiler, Esq.
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Via Facsimile: (202) 219-3923

Re: MURs 4568, 4633 and 4634

Dear Mr. Shonkwiler:

On behalf of the respondents in the above-referenced Matters Under Review, we respectfully request an extension to respond to the Commission's recent finding and subpoenas, received by our offices on June 9, 1998. We request an extension of twenty (20) days, making our due date Wednesday, July 29, 1998.

We request the extension for the following reasons. First, the counsel of record in these matters, Benjamin Ginsberg, is out of the country for the next several weeks. Second, given that we intend to file a reply to the Factual and Legal Analysis, and that the Commission has issued voluminous subpoenas (containing multiple subparts) to the respondents, additional time is needed to allow the respondents to respond fully.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Benjamin L. Ginsberg
Donald F. McGahn II

28044193376