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Andrew Tuerley  
Supervisory Attorney  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 4646

Dear Mr. Tuerley,

Sometime in the Spring of 1996, my daughter, Amy Habie, asked me and my husband to contribute to Congresswoman Jane Harmon's Campaign. Amy thought highly of Congresswoman Harmon, and as we hardly ever contribute to political campaigns, we decided to do so because my daughter wanted us to.

We didn't believe at the time that we did anything wrong, and we don't believe now that we've done anything wrong. We would like to avoid hiring a lawyer. If anything further is going to happen with this, we were told that there is a procedure of conciliation, and this is how we would like to proceed, if it is necessary at all.

Sincerely yours,

Rhea Weil Herman  
Lawrence Herman