

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of )  
 ) MUR 4811  
John Spratt for Congress )  
Committee and Bernard Neal )  
Ackerman, as treasurer )

CERTIFICATION

I, Marjorie W. Emmons, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on April 27, 1999, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in MUR 4811:

1. Find reason to believe that the John Spratt for Congress Committee and Bernard Neal Ackerman, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441d(a), and enter into conciliation prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
2. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis attached to the General Counsel's April 13, 1999 report.
3. Approve the conciliation agreement and the appropriate letter recommended in the General Counsel's April 13, 1999 report

Commissioners Elliott, Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom, Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

4-28-99  
Date

Marjorie W. Emmons  
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Secretary of the Commission