



PIERCE FOR AUDITOR

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November 12, 1998

F. Andrew Turley, Esquire
Federal Election Commission
Office of the General Counsel
999 E. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463
Re: MUR 4839

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

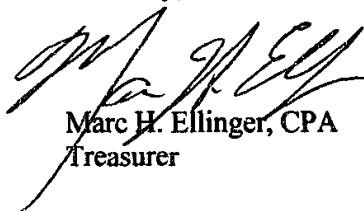
Dear Mr. Turley:

On behalf of Pierce for Auditor, we respectfully request an extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-captioned matter.

An extension is necessary so as to allow us to hire counsel and to prepare a complete response to the complaint. Thus, we request a twenty day extension, making our response due on December 5, 1998.

If you have concerns, please have me paged at 1-888-816-4757. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,



Marc H. Ellinger, CPA
Treasurer