



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 4922

Dear Mr. Karangis:

Enclosed with this letter, please find copies of the Statements of Reasons for MUR 4922 adopted by the three Commissioners who voted not to accept the General Counsel's recommendations in MUR 4922. One Statement of Reasons is signed by Chairman Darryl R. Wold. The second Statement of Reasons was jointly issued by Commissioner David M. Mason and Commissioner Bradley A. Smith. Each document provides a detailed explanation for why these Commissioners rejected the General Counsel's recommendation that it find Reason to Believe that your client, the Suburban O'Hare Commission, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441b, 434(c), and 441d. These Statements of Reasons will be placed on the public record as part of MUR 4922's file.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Marianne Abely".

Marianne Abely
Attorney

Enclosure
Statements of Reasons