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Lawrence M. Noble, General Counsel
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
6th Floor
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Blanket Designation of Counsel
Gore 2000, Inc. and Jose Villarreal, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Noble:

We are in receipt of your notification in MUR 4956, naming Gore 2000, Inc. and Jose Villarreal, as Treasurer, respondents in this MUR. The notification, including a copy of the complaint was sent directly to Gore 2000 and Mr. Villarreal.

We want to bring to your attention that, on August 10, 1999, we filed a blanket designation of counsel on behalf of Gore 2000 and Mr. Villarreal. Another copy is enclosed for your records. Accordingly, we wish to reiterate that all notifications be sent to us at the address listed thereon.

We have used a similar blanket designation of counsel for a number of our other clients and have not encountered any significant problems in receiving notifications. We believe that your office has had sufficient time to take note of the designation that we filed on behalf of this client.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions pertaining to this matter, please feel free to contact one of us at the number listed hereon or at the campaign headquarters in Nashville at 615-340-3220.

Sincerely,



Eric Kleinfeld
Lyn Utrecht

6:05PM

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

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The above named individuals are hereby designated as counsel to Gore 2000, Inc. and are authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on the Committee's behalf before the Commission.

8-9-99
Date

Jose H. Villarreal
Signature

TREASURER'S NAME: Mr. Jose Villarreal
Treasurer, Gore 2000, Inc.

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