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FIRST GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

RAD REFERRAL: 00NF-08
DATE ACTIVATED: 9/14/00

EXPIRATION OF STATUTE OF
LIMITATIONS: 4/15/05
STAFF MEMBER: Kasandra Robinson

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RESPONDENTS:

American Meat Institute - PAC and
Sara J. Lilygren, as treasurer

RELEVANT STATUTES:

2 U.S.C. § 434 (a)(4)(A)(i)
11 CFR § 104.5 (c)(1)(i)(A)

INTERNAL REPORTS CHECKED:

Disclosure Reports

FEDERAL AGENCIES CHECKED:

None

I. GENERATION OF MATTER

The Office of General Counsel received a referral from the Reports Analysis Division on August 10, 2000. The basis of the referral was the failure of the American Meat Institute - PAC and Sara J. Lilygren, as treasurer, ("Respondents") to timely file their 2000 April Quarterly Report.

II. FACTUAL AND LEGAL ANALYSIS

Based on the Factual and Legal Analysis, see Attachment 1, this office recommends that the Commission find reason to believe that Respondents violated 2 U.S.C. § 434 (a)(4)(A)(i).

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III. DISCUSSION OF CONCILIATION AND CIVIL PENALTY

In addition to recommending that the Commission find reason to believe Respondents violated 2 U.S.C. § 434 (a)(4)(A)(i), this Office also recommends that the Commission offer to enter into conciliation with Respondents prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. Attached for the Commission's approval is a proposed conciliation agreement. Attachment 2.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Office of the Commission Secretary

FROM: Office of General Counsel *KCS*

DATE: September 27, 2000

SUBJECT: RAD 00NF-08-First General Counsel's Report

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