



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

August 29, 2002

Judith L. Corley
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Via facsimile and first class mail

RE: MUR 5127 (Democratic Party of Illinois)

Dear Ms. Corley:

I am writing in response to your letter dated and delivered on August 26, 2002, requesting an extension of 30 days to respond to the Commission's reason to believe findings and subpoena to produce documents in MUR 5127. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has decided to grant your requested extension, provided your clients agree to toll the statute of limitations for 30 days. Accordingly, as long as you sign and return the attached tolling agreement before the original deadline of September 4, 2002, the responses will be due by the close of business on October 4, 2002.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1572.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brant Levine".

Brant Levine
Attorney

Attachment