



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20543

October 23, 2001

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RE: MUR 5159
Bush-Cheney 2000 Inc. and
David Herndon, as treasurer

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

Enclosed please find a Statement of Reasons from five Commissioners explaining their vote. This document will be placed on the public record as part of the file in MUR 5159.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Michael E. Scurry".

Michael E. Scurry
Attorney

Enclosure
Statement of Reasons

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