



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

August 1, 2001

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Bob F. Holas
2308 South 3rd Avenue
North Riverside, IL 60546

RE: MUR 5175

Dear Mr. Holas:

On February 13, 2001, the Federal Election Commission received your complaint alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

After considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission has determined to exercise its prosecutorial discretion and to take no action against the respondents. See attached narrative. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on July 31, 2001. This matter will become part of the public record within 30 days.

The Act allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff S. Jordan", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

Jeff S. Jordan
Supervisory Attorney
Central Enforcement Docket

Attachment:
Narrative

21-04-405-1742

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CITIZENS FOR RANDY BOROW

Complainant, Bob F. Holas, alleged that Randy Borow, Congressman for the 7th District of Illinois, received an excessive contribution in the form of loans totaling \$31,083 from the complainant that were never repaid.

The Citizens for Randy Borow committee responded that it had already been administratively terminated by the Commission and the complainant had been reimbursed. Specifically, an Order dated September 8, 2000, from the United States Bankruptcy Court dismissed an adversary complaint against the respondent, which represented the disputed loans. Furthermore, as of August 26, 2000, the complainant received a reimbursement in the amount of \$4,000.

This matter is less significant relative to other matters pending before the Commission and the Committee has been administratively terminated.

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