

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of )  
 )  
 ) MUR 5180  
Dear 2000, Inc., and )  
Abraham Roth, as treasurer )

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene Harris, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on February 20, 2002, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions with respect to MUR 5180:

1. Find reason to believe that Dear 2000, Inc., and Abraham Roth, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 434(b)(4)(A) and 434(b)(5)(A).
2. Authorize Subpoena and Order to Dear 2000, Inc., and Abraham Roth, as treasurer, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated February 5, 2002

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3. Authorize Subpoena and Order to the Jewish Press.
4. Authorize deposition subpoenas to Abraham Roth, Heshy Katz, Andrew Hahn, Susan Stakofsky, Alex Lutz, Nick Lageman, James Cunningham, Scott Garrison, Bella Vais, and Charna Weiss.
5. Approve the appropriate letters, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated February 5, 2002.

Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom, Smith, Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

February 21, 2002  
Date

Darlene Harris  
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Deputy Secretary of  
the Commission