



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

APR 29 2004

**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Treasurer, Mahoning County Democratic Party  
101 Federal Plaza East  
Suite 400  
Youngstown, OH 44503

RE: MUR 5262 (formerly MUR 5266)

Dear Treasurer:

The Federal Election Commission previously attempted to notify you of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. A copy of the complaint is enclosed.

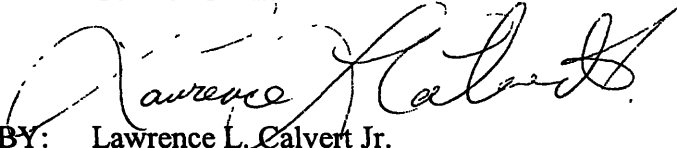
On March 23, 2004, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, that there is no reason to believe the Mahoning County Democratic Party ("Committee") and you, as treasurer, violated the Act in this matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter as it pertains to the Committee and you, as treasurer.

The Commission reminds you that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed, at which time you will be sent a copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report.

If you have any questions, please contact Margaret Toalson, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lawrence H. Norton  
General Counsel

  
BY: Lawrence L. Calvert Jr.  
Deputy Associate General Counsel  
for Enforcement

Enclosure  
Complaint