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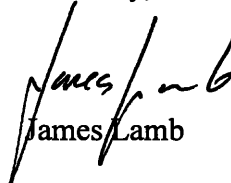
Re: MUR 5393 Respondent Carden for Congress and Miriam Mitchel, as treasurer

Dear Mr. Jordan:

On behalf of Carden for Congress and Miriam Mitchell, as treasurer, I am writing to request that the deadline for responding to a complaint filed by Dorothy Burger, Vice Chairwoman of the Summit City Republican Committee, be extended to Tuesday, December 16, 2003 due to the existing travel schedules of counsel and deadlines in other matters.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,


James Lamb

cc: Tim Carden

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