



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

SEP 19 2006

Marc E. Elias, Esq.
Ezra W. Reese, Esq.
Perkins Coie
607 Fourteenth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

RE: MUR 5679
Bob Casey for Pennsylvania Committee
Vanessa DeSalvo, Treasurer

Dear Messrs. Elias and Reese:

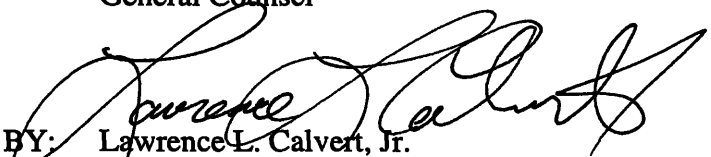
On August 26, 2005, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On September 11, 2006, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, and information provided by your clients, that there is no reason to believe Bob Casey for Pennsylvania Committee and Vanessa DeSalvo, in her official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b. Accordingly, on September 11, 2006 the Commission closed the file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Camilla Jackson Jones, 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
General Counsel's Report

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