



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

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Marc E. Elias
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607 Fourteenth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005

RE: MUR 5848
The Honorable Harry Reid
Friends for Harry Reid
Cliff Beadle, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Elias:

On October 25, 2006, 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 February 21, 2007, based upon the information contained in the complaint and the response, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and closed its file in this matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in the matter on March 7, 2007.

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 (December 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Alva DeJarnett-Miller, the paralegal assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Thomasenia P. Duncan
Acting General Counsel

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Enclosure
General Counsel's Report

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