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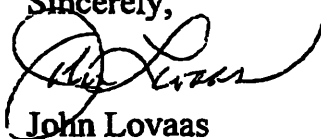
**Re: MUR 5863**

Dear Ms. Collins:

This is to confirm my request for a two-week extension of the due date for my submission to the Commission regarding MUR 5863. I have never had experience with the FEC and would appreciate an extension to ensure that I fully comprehend the issues involved, their implications and the procedures. I also will likely need advice from people knowledgeable in this realm.

I received your letter dated October 30 on November 3, 2006 and request that the due date for my response be extended from November 18 to December 1, 2006.

Sincerely,



John Lovaas

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