



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20463

MAR 18 2009

Ed Fallon  
752 16<sup>th</sup> Street  
Des Moines, IA 50314-1601

RE: MUR 5993

Dear Mr. Fallon:

On April 16, 2008, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging that you had violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act").

On March 10, 2009, the Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to find reason to believe that you violated the Act. Accordingly, the Commission closed its 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 Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Allen".

Mark Allen  
Assistant General Counsel

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