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C. Berwick Duval II

Dear Messrs. Ginsberg and Manley:

This is to follow up on our letter of July 19, 2011, notifying your client, C. Berwick Duval II, that the Federal Election Commission ("Commission") had ascertained information in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities indicating that Mr. Duval may have violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, in connection with contributions made to the Friends of Mary Landrieu, Inc. and David Vitter for U.S. Senate.

After considering the circumstances in this matter, the Commission decided to close the matter without taking any action as to Mr. Duval.

If you have any questions, please contact Marianne Abely, the attorney handling this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter G. Blumberg".

Peter G. Blumberg
Assistant General Counsel

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