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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)
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Harold W. ("Trey") Gowdy III; Trey) MUR 6253
Gowdy for Congress and Marvin)
Quattlebaum, in his official capacity as)
treasurer; Gowdy State Solicitor)
Committee; Under the Power Lines)

CERTIFICATION

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election
Commission, do hereby certify that on September 30, 2010, the Commission
decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in MUR 6253:

1. Find no reason to believe that Trey Gowdy for Congress, and Marvin Quattlebaum, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) or 441b, 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to its website expenditures.
2. Find no reason to believe that Harold W. ("Trey") Gowdy III and the Gowdy State Solicitor Committee violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to Trey Gowdy for Congress website expenditures.
3. Find no reason to believe that Under the Power Lines violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a) or 441b.
4. Dismiss the allegation that Trey Gowdy for Congress, and Marvin Quattlebaum, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to its cellular phone expenditures.
5. Dismiss the allegation that Harold W. ("Trey") Gowdy III and the Gowdy State Solicitor Committee violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to Trey Gowdy for Congress cellular phone expenditures.

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6. Find no reason to believe that Trey Gowdy for Congress and Marvin Quattlebaum, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to its postage expenditures.
7. Find no reason to believe that Harold W. ("Trey") Gowdy III and the Gowdy State Solicitor Committee violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) with respect to Trey Gowdy for Congress postage expenditures.
8. Dismiss the allegation that Trey Gowdy for Congress and Marvin Quattlebaum, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b).
9. Approve the Factual and Legal Analyses, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated September 23, 2010.
10. Approve the appropriate letters.
11. Close the file.

Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and

Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

September 30, 2010
Date

Shawn Woodhead Werth
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Secretary and Clerk of the Commission