



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

Judy Corley
Perkins Coie
700 Thirteenth Street, Suite 600, NW
Washington, DC 20005

RE: MUR 6381
American Hospital Association
American Hospital Association PAC
Melinda Hatton, Treasurer

Dear Ms. Corley:

On September 23, 2010, 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 August 10, 2011, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, and information provided by you, that there is no reason to believe American Hospital Association, American Hospital Association PAC and Melinda Hatton, as treasurer, violated any provisions of 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).

If you have any questions, please contact Kim Collins, the staff member assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Christopher Hughey
Acting General Counsel

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Enclosure
General Counsel's Report

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