



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

AUG 26 2011

Paul Ellington

Fulton, Maryland 20759-2509

Re: Pre-MUR 498

Dear Mr. Ellington:

On April 1, 2010, the Federal Election Commission ("Commission") notified you that the Commission, in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities, had ascertained information indicating that you may have violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On August 17, 2011, and after considering all the information, the Commission took no action regarding you, and closed the 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. 70426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg 66132 (Dec. 14, 2009).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1548.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Elena Paoli".

Elena Paoli
Attorney

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