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VIA FACSIMILE: 202-219-3923

Jeff S. Jordan
Supervisory Attorney
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 6474 - Time Extension Request for Mandel and Steven Cuckler

Dear Mr. Jordan:

Citizens for Josh Mandel and Steven R. Cuckler, Treasurer (collectively "Mandel"), are in receipt of the complaint filed in what has been captioned MUR 6474. Mandel received the complaint on or about June 21, 2011 and understands that its response would normally be due on July 6, 2011.

This complaint was received by Mandel in the closing days of the new campaign's first FEC reporting quarter. In order to conduct a comprehensive review of the factual and legal issues presented in the complaint, confer with our clients, and prepare a complete and accurate response, we hereby respectfully request a 15-day extension of time to respond. A 15-day extension will make the response due on Thursday, July 21, 2011.

Please note that a Designation of Counsel Form from Mandel will be sent to you via facsimile later this afternoon. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (202) 572-8663. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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