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Office of General Council
Federal Election Commission (FEC)
999 E. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

OFFICE OF GENERAL
COUNSEL

RE: FEC Complaint against Loyola for Congress (Republican Primary)

MUR# 6483

To Whom It May Concern;

This letter serves my response to the allegation put forth in the correspondence dated July 5, 2011 to by Edward C. Maulbeck regarding the Loyola for Congress campaign in the Republican Primary of 2010. This letter also serves as my formal demonstration in writing that no further should be taken by the FEC in this matter. Mr. Maulbeck was also a fellow candidate in the 2010 Congressional Republican Primary.

His allegations are factually incorrect, wrong and completely in error.

ALLEGATION: "On April 24, 2010, I confronted a Loyola Enterprises employee in uniform during business hours installing a campaign sign at 7813 Shore Drive, Norfolk". Mr. Maulbeck alleges that a company employee was using a company van during company business hours.

FACT: April 24, 2010 was a Saturday, not during "normal business hours" or even a normal business day.

FACT: The employee, Mr. Adrian Peraza, volunteered to put up Loyola for Congress signs on his own personal time during the weekend. At no time was he paid to put up a Loyola for Congress sign, nor was it done during his normal work hours. As stated, April 24th of 2010 was a Saturday.

FACT: Mr. Peraza pays Loyola Enterprises every month for use of the company van for his own personal use. A portion of his paycheck is deducted every month and paid by Mr. Peraza to Loyola Enterprises for personal use of the van during his personal time. A copy of a deducted paycheck is attached as Exhibit A (enclosed)

SUMMARY: Mr. Peraza was a volunteer putting up signs on a Saturday during his personal free time using a vehicle paid for by his own personal funds to Loyola Enterprises to be used for his personal use at his discretion.

The allegation is factually incorrect and this serves as a formal request that no further action be taken.

Sincerely,



Ben Loyola

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