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Re: MUR 6534 – Citizens for Josh Mandel – Request for Extension

Dear Mr. Jordan:

This requests an extension of time to respond to the letter from the Federal Election Commission ("Commission") informing our clients, Josh Mandel, Citizens for Josh Mandel, and Kathryn D. Kessler, in her official capacity as Treasurer (collectively "Respondents") of a complaint filed against them in the above referenced matter. Respondents received the letter on March 1, 2012, and the response is currently due March 16, 2012.

We respectfully request a thirty-day extension of time to respond, or until Monday, April 16, 2012. The thirty-day extension of time will permit us to properly evaluate the allegations and attached materials, research and compile necessary documentation, and ensure a complete and accurate response.

I appreciate your consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact me directly about this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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in her official capacity as Treasurer