



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

VIA ELECTRONIC AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

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RE: MUR 6589R
American Action Network

Dear Messrs. Baran and Burns:

On October 18, 2016, the Commission considered the complaint in MUR 6589R, but there was an insufficient number of votes to find reason to believe that American Action Network violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30102, 30103, and 30104. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

The Commission's decision was challenged in *CREW v. FEC, et al.*, No. 1:16-cv-2255. On March 20, 2018, the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia remanded the matter to the Commission. The Commission considered whether to appeal the Court's decision. However, the Commission was unable to reach agreement by the required four affirmative votes to appeal the decision.

Pursuant to the court's remand, the underlying enforcement matter, MUR 6589R, is currently open before the Commission. We will notify you immediately regarding any determination the Commission makes with regard to MUR 6589R.

If you have any questions, please contact Claudio J. Pavia, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1597.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathleen M. Guith".

Kathleen M. Guith
Associate General Counsel for Enforcement