

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)
) MUR 6865
 U.S. Representative Juan Vargas; Vargas)
 for Congress and Nancy Haley in her)
 official capacity as treasurer; Jose)
 Susumo Azano Matsura; Marc Alan)
 Chase; Ernesto Encinas)
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CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on August 11, 2015, the Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:

1. Failed by a vote of 3-3 to:
 - a. Find reason to believe that Jose Susumo Azano Matsura knowingly and willfully violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30121(a)(1) and 30122, and 11 C.F.R. §§ 110.20(b)-(c), (f), and 110.4(b)(i).

Commissioners Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, and Petersen dissented.

2. Decided by a vote of 6-0 to:
 - a. Find reason to believe that Jose Susumo Azano Matsura violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30121(a)(1) and 30122, and 11 C.F.R. §§ 110.20(b)-(c), (f), and 110.4(b)(i).
 - b. Approve the Legal and Factual Analysis as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated May 27, 2015, subject to the edits last circulated by Vice Chairman Petersen's Office on August 10, 2015 at 1:36 P.M.

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Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

3. Decided by a vote of 6-0 to:

- a. Find reason to believe that Marc Alan Chase knowingly and willfully violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30121(a)(2) and 30122, and 11 C.F.R. §§ 110.20(g)-(h) and 110.4(b)(ii)-(iii).
- b. Find reason to believe that Ernesto Encinas knowingly and willfully violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30121(a)(2) and 30122, and 11 C.F.R. §§ 110.20(g)-(h) and 110.4(b)(iii).
- c. Take no action at this time with respect to Juan Vargas and Vargas for Congress and Nancy Haley in her official capacity as treasurer.
- d. Approve the Factual and Legal Analyses as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated May 27, 2015, subject to the edits last circulated by Vice Chairman Petersen's Office on August 10, 2015 at 1:36 P.M.
- e. Approve the use of compulsory process, as necessary.
- f. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

August 12, 2015
Date

Shelley E. Garr
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Deputy Secretary of the Commission.