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Federal Election Commission
Office of Complaints Examination and Legal Administration
Attn: Donna Rawls, Paralegal
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 7101

Dear Mr. Jordan:

This office represents the Congressional Leadership Fund. Enclosed please find an executed Statement of Designation of Counsel form.

On September 1, our office indicated in a voicemail to you that we were aware of press reports suggesting that a complaint had been filed against the Congressional Leadership Fund. We also explained in our voicemail that the Congressional Leadership Fund had not received notice of the complaint from the Federal Election Commission, but our office was willing to accept service of the notice and complaint if necessary.

On September 2, our office received notice of the complaint in the above-captioned matter. On September 6, our office received a copy of the complaint alleging a possible violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Our office will need more than the 15-day allotted time to confer with our client, investigate the allegations in the complaint, and to compile an appropriate response. Therefore, we respectfully request a 30-day extension – until October 21, 2016 – to file a response.

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Your favorable consideration of this request will be appreciated.

Sincerely,



Jan Witold Baran
Caleb P. Burns

Enclosure

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL
 Please use *one* form for each Respondent/Entity/Treasurer
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MUR # 7101

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

9/6/16
Date

Caleb Crosby
Respondent/Agent -Signature

Treasurer
Title(Treasurer/Candidate/Owner)

RESPONDENT: Congressional Leadership Fund
 (Committee Name, Company Name, or Individual Named in Notification Letter)

MAILING ADDRESS: _____
 (Please Print)

TELEPHONE- HOME (____) _____

BUSINESS (____) _____

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