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Subject: MUR 7165 & 7196 (Jesse Benton)
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Saurav,

As requested, please find attached a Designation of Counsel form with an updated firm name and contact information.

We've received no response regarding the due date of the Brief in response to the issues we raised on August 16. Accordingly, as between filing a brief today despite the delayed production of documents to the prejudice of Mr. Benton, or an indefinite postponement until the issues we noted are addressed, we will proceed with the modest compromise of filing the brief on Friday, August 28, corresponding to 15 days following the production of the redacted documents on August 13. This 3-day adjustment should have no material impact on the FEC's interests and are a reasonable accommodation of the circumstances.

Regards,

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Statement of Designation of Counsel

Provide one form for each Respondent/Witness
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CASE: MURs 7165 & 7196

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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.

8/25/2021

Date

Signature

Title

RESPONDENT: Jesse Benton

(Committee Name/Company Name/Individual Named In Notification Letter)

MAILING ADDRESS:

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