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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of	)	
	)	MUR 7201
Ted Cruz for Senate, and Bradley S.	)	
Knippa, as treasurer (collectively the	)	
"Committee") EPS Dismissal Report	)	

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CERTIFICATION

I, Laura E. Sinram, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on January 09, 2018, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 5-0 to:

1. Dismiss the complaint consistent with the Commission's prosecutorial discretion to determine the proper ordering of its priorities and use of agency resources. *Heckler v. Chaney*, 470 U.S. 821, 831-32 (1985), as recommended in the EPS Dismissal Report dated November 22, 2017.

2. Direct the Office of General Counsel to prepare a Factual and Legal Analysis that mirrors the analysis in the EPS Dismissal Report and that the Commission approve that Factual and Legal Analysis.

3. Close the file as to all Respondents.

4. Send the appropriate letters.

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

Attest:

1/10/18
Date

Laura E. Sinram
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Deputy Secretary of the Commission