



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

VIA EMAIL

October 1, 2021

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RE: MURs 7207, 7268, and 7623
Donald J. Trump
Make America Great Again PAC (f/k/a
Donald J. Trump for President, Inc.) and
Bradley T. Crate in his official capacity
as treasurer

Dear Mr. Crosland:

On December 22, 2016, August 15, 2017, and July 25, 2019, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, Donald J. Trump and Make America Great Again PAC (f/k/a Donald J. Trump for President, Inc.) and Bradley T. Crate in his official capacity as treasurer (the "Trump Committee"), of the complaints in MURs 7207, 7268 and 7623, alleging that your clients violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

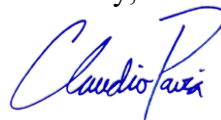
On August 18, 2021, we wrote to inform you that (1) on April 22, 2021, the Commission considered the complaints and their supplements but was equally divided on whether to find reason to believe that Trump and the Trump Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30121(a)(2) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.20(g) by knowingly soliciting, accepting or receiving an in-kind contribution from the Russian Federation in connection with Trump's press conference statement; that the Trump Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30121(a)(2) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.20(g) by knowingly soliciting a prohibited in-kind contribution from WikiLeaks; and that the Trump Committee violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30114(b), 30121 and 11 C.F.R. §§ 113.1(g)(3), 110.20(g) by transferring a campaign committee asset without charge or by knowingly soliciting a prohibited in-kind foreign national contribution in connection with polling data allegedly sent by Trump Committee official Paul Manafort; and (2) on August 10, 2021, the Commission closed its file in these matters.

This letter is to inform you that, on September 28, 2021, the Commission voted to reopen the matter for further consideration.

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If you have any questions, please contact Nicholas Bamman, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1628 or nbamman@fec.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Claudio Pavia". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "C".

Claudio Pavia
Acting Assistant General Counsel