



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

March 31, 2021

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Paul S. Ryan
Common Cause
805 15th Street, NW, Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005

RE: MUR 7313

Dear Mr. Ryan:

The Federal Election Commission (“Commission”) has considered the allegations contained in your complaint dated January 23, 2018, along with the supplemental information that you submitted on March 12, 2018, but there were an insufficient number of votes to find reason to believe that the respondents violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the “Act”). Accordingly, on March 23, 2021, the Commission closed the file in this matter. A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission’s decision will follow.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See Disclosure of Certain Documents in Enforcement and Other Matters*, 81 Fed. Reg. 50,702 (Aug. 2, 2016), effective September 1, 2016.

The Act allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission’s dismissal of this action. *See* 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(8). If you have any questions, please contact Saurav Ghosh, the attorney assigned to this matter, at sghosh@fec.gov or (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lynn Y. Tran".

Lynn Y. Tran
Assistant General Counsel