

**FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION**

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RE: MUR 7337  
Debbie Lesko  
Re-Elect Debbie Lesko for Senate

Dear Messrs. Basile and Langhofer:

On April 27, 2022, the Office of General Counsel ("OGC") sent you a General Counsel's Brief setting forth the factual and legal basis upon which OGC was prepared to recommend that the Federal Election Commission find probable cause to believe that your clients, Debbie Lesko and Re-Elect Debbie Lesko for Senate ("State Committee"), violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). Specifically, the Brief recommended that the Commission find probable cause to believe that the Debbie Lesko and the State Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1)(A) by transferring funds in connection with a federal election that were not subject to the reporting requirements of the Act. You filed a Reply Brief on May 12, 2022.

Pursuant to the *Agency Procedure Following the Submission of Probable Cause Briefs by the Office of General Counsel*, 76 Fed. Reg. 63,570 (Oct. 13, 2011), OGC is notifying the Commission that it intends to proceed with the probable cause recommendation based on the factual and legal analysis set forth in the General Counsel's Brief. I have enclosed a copy of OGC's Notice to the Commission for your records. If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1616 or [drigsby@fec.gov](mailto:drigsby@fec.gov).

Sincerely,

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