

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

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BY ELECTRONIC MAIL ONLY

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RE: MUR 7354

Friends of Chris McDaniel and Richard Conrad in his official capacity as treasurer

Dear Mr. Najvar:

On March 30, 2018, the Federal Election Commission ("Commission") notified your clients, Friends of Chris McDaniel and Richard Conrad in his official capacity as treasurer, of a complaint alleging violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). A copy of the complaint was forwarded to your clients at that time.

The Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to find reason to believe, and equally divided on whether to find no reason to believe, your clients violated the Act. Accordingly, on June 22, 2021, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

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). A Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact Roy Q. Luckett, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Mark Allen

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Assistant General Counsel