



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

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Jonathan Jenkins
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RE: MUR 7413

Dear Mr. Jenkins:

On June 18, 2018, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging that you and Jonathan Jenkins for Senate and Chris Ehlinger in his official capacity as treasurer (the "Jenkins Committee") had violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). The Indie Party Co. was notified on the same day of the same complaint, which alleged that Indie Party had violated certain section of the Act.

On May 20, 2021, and June 10, 2021, the Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to find reason to believe that Indie Party Co. violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30102, 30103, and 30104 by failing to register and report to the Commission as a political committee. The Commission was also equally divided on whether to find reason to believe that the Jenkins Committee and Indie Party Co. violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30118(a) and 30125(e)(1), and whether the Jenkins Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30102(h)(1), the depository accounts requirements of the Act and regulations in connection with the use of cryptocurrency. Accordingly, 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 providing a basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lynn Y. Tran".

Lynn Y. Tran
Assistant General Counsel