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VIA EMAIL AND MAIL

Kathryn Ross
Office of Complaints Examination
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Federal Election Commission
1050 First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20002

Re: MUR 7419

Dear Ms. Ross:

We write as counsel to Senator Bill Nelson, Bill Nelson for US Senate (the "Committee") and Peggy Gagnon, in her official capacity as treasurer of the Committee (collectively, the "Respondents") regarding the complaint in MUR 7419. A designation of counsel form for the Committee and Ms. Gagnon are enclosed. A designation of counsel form for Senator Nelson is forthcoming.

The complaint was received on July 2nd, 2018. Respondents respectfully request that the time for their response be extended until Thursday, August 16, 2018. Respondents require more time to review the complaint and develop the information necessary for a response. We appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request.

Please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Lopez at 202-654-6371 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,



Marc E. Elias
Graham M. Wilson
Jacquelyn K. Lopez



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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL
Please use *one* form for each Respondent/Entity/Treasurer
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MUR # 7419

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

7/6/2018

Date

Peggy Lagun
Respondent/Agent -Signature

TREASURER
Title(Treasurer/Candidate/Owner)

RESPONDENT: Bill Nelson for US Senate

(Committee Name, Company Name, or Individual Named in Notification Letter)

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