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January 21, 2022

Brendan M. Fischer  
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RE: MUR 7425  
Donald J. Trump Foundation, *et al.*

Dear Mr. Fischer and Ms. Bathija:

On January 14, 2021, the Federal Election Commission (the “Commission”) considered the allegations contained in your complaint dated July 11, 2018, but was equally divided as to whether Donald J. Trump Foundation, Donald J. Trump, and Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. and Bradley T. Crate in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e). The Commission was also equally divided as to whether to find no reason to believe that Donald J. Trump and Donald J. Trump Foundation violated the Act in connection with a \$25,000 donation to And Justice for All. In addition, the Commission was equally divided as to whether to take no action at this time with respect to the allegations that Corey Lewandowski, Allen Weisselberg, Jeff McConney, Madeline Campbell Burr, Hope Hicks, Stuart Jolly, Brad Parscale, Ivanka Trump, Eric Trump, or Donald Trump, Jr. violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e) or whether to dismiss the allegations that Donald J. Trump Foundation, Donald J. Trump, Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. and Bradley T. Crate in his official capacity as treasurer, Corey Lewandowski, Allen Weisselberg, Jeff McConney, Madeline Campbell Burr, Hope Hicks, Stuart Jolly, Brad Parscale, Ivanka Trump, Eric Trump, or Donald Trump, Jr. violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30116(a) and (f), 30118(a), and 30125(e). On January 11, 2022, the Commission closed the 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), effective September 1, 2016. A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission’s decision will follow.

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The Federal Election Campaign 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 Nicholas Bamman, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

*Charles Kitcher*

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