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August 23, 2019

Federal Election Commission  
1050 First Street, NE  
Washington, D.C. 20463

**Re: MUR 7627**

Dear Members of the Commission:

Please be advised that this office represents Rodney for Congress and Thomas Datwyler, Treasurer (“the Committee”), as well as Congressman Rodney Davis in connection with the above referenced MUR. Our designation of counsel executed by the Committee is included in this letter. A separate designation executed by Congressman Davis will be forwarded yet today under separate cover.

We write today to ask for a brief extension to submit our response to the matters set forth in the complaint filed in the above referenced matter. The details surrounding the allegations made in this complaint are fact-intensive, and the legal issues are complex. While we are confident that the Committee and the Congressman have fully complied with the FECA, given the relative complexity of the law regarding “hybrid” ads and multicandidate communications, Counsel respectfully requests an additional 30 days to submit a response to this complaint.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CLARK HILL PLC

/s/ John G. Fogarty, Jr.

Enclosure



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# STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

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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.

8/22/19  
Date

(Signature - Respondent Agent/Treasurer)

Treasurer  
Title

(Name - Please Print)

Thomas G. Datwyler

RESPONDENT:

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