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Office of Complaints Examination and Legal Administration
Attn: Kathryn Ross, Paralegal
1050 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20463

Dear Ms. Ross:

We write as counsel to Sara Gideon, Sara Gideon for Maine (“the Committee”), and Lisa Lunn, in her official capacity as Treasurer (collectively, “Respondents”) regarding the complaint in MUR 7727 (the “Complaint”). Designation of counsel forms for the Respondents are also enclosed.

Respondents received the Complaint via e-mail on April 23, 2020. Respondents respectfully request that the time for response be extended by thirty days until June 7, 2020 (or June 8, 2020 given that June 7, 2020 falls on a Sunday). Like many organizations, including the Federal Election Commission, Respondents have changed their day-to-day operations to abide by government orders and recommendations to practice social distancing in light of the Covid-19 pandemic. Accordingly, Respondents require more time to review the complaint, organize necessary information, and draft 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
Jacquelyn K. Lopez
Counsel to Respondents

Enclosures



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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

Provide one form for each Respondent/Witness

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AR/MUR/RR/P-MUR# 7727

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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.

5/5/20

Date

(Signature - Respondent/Agent/Treasurer)

Sara Gideon

(Name - Please Print)

Ms.

Title

RESPONDENT: Sara Gideon

(Please print Committee Name/ Company Name/Individual Named in Notification Letter)

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 812
(Please Print)

South Freeport, ME 04078

Home#: _____

Mobile#: _____

207-747-9578

Office#: _____

Fax#: _____

E-mail: sara@saragideon.com

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May 5, 2020 Lisa Cohen Lunn as Treasurer of
Date (Signature - Respondent/Agent/Treasurer) Title
Lisa Cohen Lunn as Sara Gideon for
(Name - Please Print) Maine
Treasurer of Sara Gideon for Maine

RESPONDENT: Sara Gideon for Maine
(Please print Committee Name/ Company Name/Individual Named in Notification Letter)

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 812
(Please Print) South Freeport, ME 04078

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May 5, 2020 Lisa Cohen Lunn as Treasurer Title
Date (Signature - Respondent/Agent/Treasurer) of Sara Gideon for
Lisa COHEN LUNN AS MAINE
(Name - Please Print) Treasurer of Sara Gideon for Maine

RESPONDENT: Lisa Lunn, in her capacity as Treasurer of Sara Gideon for Maine
(Please print Committee Name/ Company Name/Individual Named in Notification Letter)

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