

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
) MUR 7790
 John James; John James for Senate and)
 Timothy Caughlin in his official capacity)
 as treasurer)

CERTIFICATION

I, Vicktoria J. Allen, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on June 23, 2022, the Commission took the following actions, subject to the Notice of Errata dated March 23, 2021, in the above-captioned matter:

1. Decided by a vote of 4-2 to:
 - a. Dismiss the allegations that John James and John James for Senate and Timothy Caughlin in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) by soliciting or directing non-federal funds.
 - b. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 11, 2021, subject to the edits as last circulated by Commissioner Weintraub's Office on June 22, 2022 at 9:02 pm.
 - c. Approve the appropriate letters.
 - d. Close the File.

Commissioners Broussard, Dickerson, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioners Cooksey and Trainor dissented.

2. Decided by a vote of 6-0 to:

Reconsider motion #1.

Commissioners Broussard, Cooksey, Dickerson, Trainor, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

3. Failed by a vote of 3-3 to:
 - a. Dismiss the allegations that John James and John James for Senate and Timothy Caughlin in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) by soliciting or directing non-federal funds.
 - b. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 11, 2021, subject to the edits as last circulated by Commissioner Weintraub's Office on June 22, 2022 at 9:02 pm.
 - c. Approve the appropriate letters.
 - d. Close the File.

Commissioners Broussard, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Cooksey, Dickerson, and Trainor dissented.

4. Failed by a vote of 3-3 to:
 - a. Dismiss the allegations that John James and John James for Senate and Timothy Caughlin in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) by soliciting or directing non-federal funds.
 - b. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 11, 2021, subject to the edits circulated by Commissioner Cooksey's Office on June 16, 2022 at 3:44 pm.
 - c. Approve the appropriate letters.
 - d. Close the File.

Commissioners Cooksey, Dickerson, and Trainor voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Broussard, Walther, and Weintraub dissented.

5. Decided by a vote of 6-0 to:
 - a. Close the file.
 - b. Issue appropriate letters.

Commissioners Broussard, Cooksey, Dickerson, Trainor, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.



Attest:

Vicktoria J Allen

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Vicktoria J. Allen
Acting Deputy Secretary of the
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