



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

**MEMORANDUM**

February 3, 2025

**TO:** The Commission

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**SUBJECT:** MUR 8008 (Alabama Conservatives Fund) Pre-Probable Cause Conciliation

On February 27, 2024, the Commission found reason to believe that Alabama Conservatives Fund and Kaylen Melton in her official capacity as treasurer (the “Committee”) violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(b) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.1(g)(4) by failing to report attribution information, authorized the Office of General Counsel (“OGC”) to engage in pre-probable cause conciliation with the Committee, and directed OGC to draft a Conciliation Agreement.<sup>1</sup> On January 14, 2025, the Commission approved an Agreement.<sup>2</sup> Attached is a negotiated Agreement signed by the Committee’s treasurer and a redlined version as compared to the opening offer approved by the Commission.

<sup>1</sup> Second Amended Certification (“Cert.”) ¶¶ 4, 6 (Oct. 24, 2024).

<sup>2</sup> Amended Cert. ¶ 2 (Jan. 17, 2025).

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9           We believe this settlement represents an acceptable resolution of the matter. Therefore,  
10 we recommend that the Commission accept the signed Conciliation Agreement with the  
11 Committee and close the file.

12   **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- 13           1.     Accept the attached signed Conciliation Agreement;
- 14           2.     Approve the appropriate letter; and
- 15           3.     Close the file effective 30 days from the date the certification of this vote is  
16 signed (or on the next business day after the 30th day, if the 30th day falls on a  
17 weekend or holiday).

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