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Subject: RE: MUR 8043 (Women Vote Smart)
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Christine,

Thanks for your call. The Committee intends to provide a substantive response to the reason to believe finding and proposed conciliation agreement this month and wishes to enter into negotiations directed towards resolving this matter. The Committee does not intend to sign a tolling agreement at this time.

Moreover, we request that the Commission correct its form RTB notification letter. Currently, the letter states “In light of the fact that conciliation negotiations, prior to a finding of probable cause to believe, are limited to a maximum of 60 days, you should respond to this notification as soon as possible.” This statement is materially inaccurate. As the Commission’s “Guidebook for Complaints and Respondents on the FEC Enforcement Process” states, “[n]either the Act nor the Commission’s regulations specify a time frame for pre-probable cause conciliation, but OGC attempts to limit it to no more than 60 days.” See Guidebook for Complainants and Respondents on the FEC Enforcement Process at 18, Federal Election Commission (May 2012), https://www.fec.gov/resources/cms-content/documents/respondent_guide.pdf.

Thank you very much for your time, we intend to follow up shortly.

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Good afternoon,

This is to confirm the telephone message I left for David yesterday regarding the extension and request for a tolling agreement. As we haven't heard back on these issues, please let us know the Committee's intentions. Thanks.

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