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Federal Election Commission Office of Complaints Examination And Legal Administration Attn: Christal Dennis, Paralegal 1050 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20002

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Re: MUR 8241

Dear Ms. Dennis,

I practice law in South Carolina and the District of Columbia. I represent the Respondent Congressman William Timmons in the above referenced matter alleging campaign ethics violations regarding two text messages. The Complainant alleges that the two text messages were not legal. However, that is not true. In 2022, the FEC relaxed disclaimer rules for small digital ads, thus making the text messages perfectly legal. Moreover, in these two incidents, they were obviously sent by our own campaign. In short, this case has not merit and should be dismissed with prejudice.

Sincerely,

Butch Bowers