




FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20463

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** THE COMMISSION  
STAFF DIRECTOR  
GENERAL COUNSEL  
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**FROM:** COMMISSION SECRETARY 

**DATE:** May 7, 2010

**SUBJECT:** ADVISORY OPINION 2010-03  
CONCURRING OPINION OF  
COMMISSIONER STEVEN T. WALTHER

Transmitted herewith is the Advisory Opinion 2010-03 Concurring Opinion of Commissioner Steven T. Walther.

Attachment



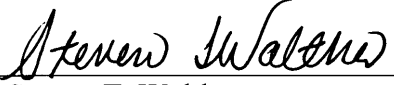
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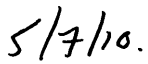
**ADVISORY OPINION 2010-03**

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I concur with the result reached by the Commission in Advisory Opinion 2010-03 (National Democratic Redistricting Trust) only because to do otherwise would be inconsistent with advice previously given by the Commission in Advisory Opinion 2003-15 (Majette).

While I do not necessarily agree with the analysis and the result that was reached in Advisory Opinion 2003-15 (Majette), that advisory opinion was approved 5-0 by the Commission at the time – a time prior to my arrival at the Commission – and I feel bound by the Majette advisory opinion as precedent in this matter.

  
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Steven T. Walther  
Commissioner

  
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