

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
) A17-15
Audit Division Recommendation) Agenda Document No. 21-01-A
Memorandum on the Mississippi)
Republican Party)

CERTIFICATION

I, Vicktoria J. Allen, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission open meeting on January 28, 2021, do hereby certify that the Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:

1. Failed by a vote of 3-3 to:
 - a. Approve the Audit Division's recommendations in Audit Division Recommendation Memorandum on the Mississippi Republican Party, as set forth in Agenda Document 21-01-A.
 - b. Add mailer 8 to Finding 3 (Reporting of Apparent Independent Expenditures) and adjust the amount in violation accordingly.
 - c. Add a new finding that the Mississippi Republican Party violated the joint fundraising regulations at 11 C.F.R. § 102.17(c) when it received \$1,587,962 in net proceeds from the Trump Victory Joint Fundraising Committee and, on the same day, transferred \$1,587,842 to the Republican National Committee.
 - d. Add a new finding that the Mississippi Republican Party failed to maintain any monthly payroll logs to document the percentage of time each employee spent in connection with a federal election totaling \$42, 415.

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

Commissioners Cooksey, Dickerson, and Trainor dissented.

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

Accept Findings 1 and 2 in the Audit Division Recommendation
Memorandum on the Mississippi Republican Party, as set forth in Agenda
Document 21-01-A.

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

Attest:



February 11, 2021

Date

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Vicktoria J. Allen
Acting Deputy Secretary of the
Commission