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MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: Proposed Interim Audit Report on Friends of Erik Paulsen (LRA 1069)

The Office of the General Counsel has reviewed the proposed Interim Audit Report ("proposed IAR") on Friends of Erik Paulsen. The proposed IAR contains one finding: Receipt of Contributions in Excess of the Limit.¹ We concur with the finding. If you have any questions, please contact Margaret J. Forman, the attorney assigned to this audit.

¹ We recommend that the Commission consider this document in Executive Session because the Commission may eventually decide to pursue an investigation of matters contained in the proposed IAR. 11 C.F.R. §§ 2.4(a) and (b)(6).