

<u>MEMORANDUM</u>

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SUBJECT: Interim Audit Report on Marsha Blackburn for Congress, Inc. (LRA 1067)

The Office of the General Counsel has reviewed the Interim Audit Report ("IAR") on Marsha Blackburn for Congress, Inc. The IAR contains three findings: (1) Misstatement of Financial Activity; (2) Disclosure of Occupation and Name of Employer; and (3) Receipt of Contributions in Excess of the Limit. We concur with the findings. If you have any questions, please contact Danita Alberico, the attorney assigned to this audit.

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).