

Justine di Giovanni

From: Justine di Giovanni
Sent: Monday, November 18, 2019 10:07 AM
To: David R. Langdon
Cc: Jin Lee
Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465
Attachments: 2019.11.18 Tolling Agreement.docx

Mr. Langdon,

The extension is acceptable, provided that the representatives of Freedom Vote sign the attached tolling agreement with the Commission.

Regards,
Justine

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From: David R. Langdon [mailto:dlangdon@langdonlaw.com]
Sent: Friday, November 15, 2019 4:12 PM
To: Justine di Giovanni <jdigiovanni@fec.gov>
Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465

Justine,

I am in receipt of a subpoena to Freedom Vote that was sent to its former officers Mitch Given and Jim Nathanson. I have been assisting them in attempting to engage counsel. We have been in discussions with an FEC practitioner in DC but have not yet finalized terms of engagement. We hope to do that next week.

In light of this I've been asked to request an extension of 30 days to respond to the subpoena.

Thank you.

David R. Langdon
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From: Justine di Giovanni <jdigiovanni@fec.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2019 2:43 PM
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Cc: Joseph Vanderhulst <joseph@langdonlaw.com>; Jin Lee <JLee@fec.gov>
Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465

David,

Thank you for the update. While we understand that you are not currently representing Freedom Vote or its executives, the extension which we granted you on September 11 expired on September 26, and we will at this point

proceed with the investigation. Please let us know if anything changes with respect to your former clients; we would, of course, be happy to correspond with you should your representation of these individuals resume.

Regards,
Justine

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Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465

Justine,

My firm has not yet been engaged, but my understanding is that it is still being considered. I hope to have an answer soon.

Thanks.

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From: Justine di Giovanni <jdigiovanni@fec.gov>
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Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465

David,

Can you please confirm whether you are currently representing Freedom Vote or its officers in this matter?

Regards,
Justine

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From: Justine di Giovanni
Sent: Wednesday, September 11, 2019 3:15 PM
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Subject: RE: FEC MUR 7465

David,

Thank you for your email; the proposed extension to September 26, 2019, is fine.

Irrespective of Freedom Vote's corporate status, the enforcement action against it is ongoing and a response is required. Freedom Vote and its officers are also required under 18 U.S.C. § 1519 to continue to preserve all documents, records, and materials while it is under investigation by the Commission, as stated in the notification letter sent to your attention by our office on August 13, 2018.

Regards,

Justine

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From: David R. Langdon [<mailto:dlangdon@langdonlaw.com>]

Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2019 5:14 PM

To: Justine di Giovanni <jdigiovanni@fec.gov>

Cc: Joseph Vanderhulst <joseph@langdonlaw.com>

Subject: FEC MUR 7465

Dear Justine,

We are in receipt of the RTB notification letter that you sent to my colleague Joe Vanderhulst. We previously represented Freedom Vote in the matter but no longer represent it, because it no longer exists. It has dissolved as a nonprofit corporation and filed its final terminating information return with the IRS.

I was finally able to reach the former Executive Director about the attached RTB notification, but since the entity is no longer in existence our firm has not been engaged on the matter, other than for the limited purpose of (i) informing you that the organization no longer exists and (ii) requesting an additional 15 days, until September 26, for the former directors and officers to decide whether to engage counsel to respond to the RTB notification.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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