

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION MAY 13 PM 2: 23

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In the Matter of)	
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Steven M. Palazzo; Palazzo for Congress)	MUR 6364
and Paul V. Breazeale, in his official)	
capacity as Treasurer; Edna Scoggins;)	
Lee D. Hertz; Frank S. Palazzo; Wells)	
Griffith: Case Closure (EPS))	

CERTIFICATION

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on May 13, 2011, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to dismiss MUR 6364, close the file, and approve the appropriate letters, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated April 21, 2011.

Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

May 13, 2011
Date

Shawn Woodhead Werth
Shawn Woodhead Werth
Secretary and Clerk of the Commission

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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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Richard W. Keefler

Hattiesburg, MS 39402

RE: MUR.6364

Dear Mr. Keefler:

The Federal Election Commission reviewed the allegations in your complaint received on September 1, 2010. On May 13, 2011, based upon the information provided in the complaint, and information provided by the respondents, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and close its file in this matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on May 13, 2011.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information. The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g (a)(8).

Sincerely,

Christopher Hughey
Acting General Counsel

BY: Jeff S. Jordan
Supervisory Attorney
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VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

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Paul V. Breazeale, Treasurer
Palazzo for Congress
13155 Highway 67
Suite B
Biloxi, MS 39535

RE: MUR 6364

Dear Mr. Breazeale:

On September 8, 2010, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint filed against Palazzo for Congress and you, as treasurer, alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("Act"). On May 13, 2011 based upon the information contained in the complaint, and information provided by you, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and close its file in this matter.

The Commission encourages you to review the General Counsel's Report, which sets forth the statutory and regulatory provisions considered by the Commission in this matter. A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information and future reference. The Commission reminds you and the Committee to take steps to ensure that your conduct is in compliance with 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 103.3(b), concerning the receipt of excessive contributions. For further information on the Act, please refer to the Commission's website at www.fec.gov or contact the Commission's Public Information Division at (202) 694-1100.

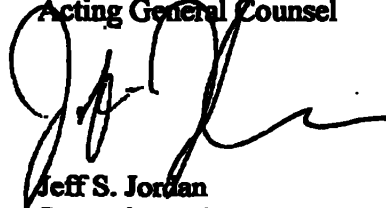
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If you have any questions, please contact Frankie D. Hampton, the paralegal assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Christopher Hughey
Acting General Counsel



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Steve Palazzo
13155 Highway 67
Suite B
Biloxi, MS 39532

RE: MUR 6364

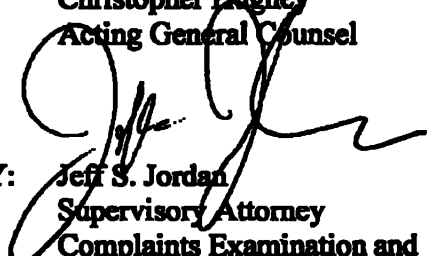
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VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

Wells Griffith, Campaign Manager
Palazzo for Congress
13155 Highway 67
Suite B
Biloxi, MS 39532

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RE: MUR 6364

Dear Mr. Griffith:

On September 8, 2010, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On May 13, 2011, based upon the information contained in the complaint, and information provided by the respondents, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and closed its file in this matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on May 13, 2011.

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Christopher Hughes
Acting General Counsel

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Lee D. Hertz

Long Beach, MS 39560

RE: MUR 6364

Dear Mr. Hertz:

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Acting General Counsel

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Frank S. Palazzo

Gulfport, MS 39503

RE: MUR 6364

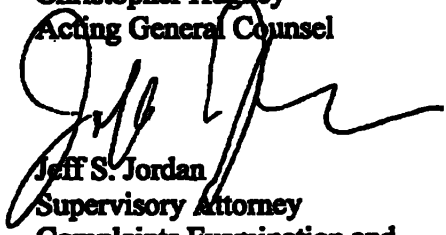
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Edna Scoggins
PO Box 430
Leakesville, MS 39451

RE: MUR 6364

Dear Ms. Scoggins:

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Acting General Counsel

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