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## VIA FACSIMILE and FIRST CLASS MAIL

Thomas J. Josefiak, Counsel Republican National Committee 310 First Street, S.E. Washington, D.C. 20003 January 5, 1999

RE: MUR 4250

Dear Mr. Josefiak:

This is in response to your letter dated January 4, 1999, which we received on the following day, requesting an extension of thirty days to respond to the Office of the General Counsel's brief in the above captioned matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on February 3, 1999.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Jose M. Rodriguez

Attorney