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Federal Election Commission  
Office of Complaints Examination & Legal Administration  
Attn: Christal Dennis  
1050 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Matter Under Review 7623

Dear Office of Complaints Examination & Legal Administration:

On behalf of Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. and Treasurer Bradley T. Crate, enclosed is a response to the Complaint in the above-captioned MUR.

Very truly yours,

/s/ E. Stewart Crosland

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Enclosure

**BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION**

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**RESPONSE OF DONALD J. TRUMP FOR PRESIDENT, INC.  
AND BRADLEY T. CRATE, AS TREASURER, TO THE COMPLAINT**

Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. and Treasurer Bradley T. Crate (“Respondents”) hereby respond to the Complaint in the above-captioned MUR. The Complaint merely repeats, albeit with even more words, the same allegations that Respondents have already addressed in depth in other matters before the Commission. *See* MURs 7207, 7265, 7266 & 7268. For the reasons explained in response to the complaints in those MURs, and as confirmed by Special Counsel Robert Mueller’s report, the Complaint fails to demonstrate any reason to believe a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act has occurred. *See, e.g.*, Special Counsel Robert Mueller, III, *Report on the Investigation Into Russian Interference In The 2016 Presidential Election*, Volume I at 2 (“[T]he investigation did not establish that [any] member[] of the Trump Campaign conspired or coordinated with the Russian government in its election interference activities.”); *see also id.* at 188. The Commission thus should dismiss the Complaint and close the file immediately.