



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

March 16, 2022

VIA EMAIL & CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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RE: MUR 7797
Sara Gideon for Maine and Lisa
Lunn in her official capacity as
treasurer, *et al.*

Dear Ms. Arnold:

On March 10, 2022, the Federal Election Commission (“Commission”) reviewed the allegations in your complaint dated September 11, 2020, and on the basis of the information provided in your complaint, and information provided by the respondents, found no reason to believe that Sara Gideon for Maine and Lisa Lunn in her official capacity as treasurer, Sara Gideon, and Maeve Coyle violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.9 by knowingly accepting excessive in-kind contributions. The Commission also found no reason to believe that SMP (f/k/a Senate Majority PAC) and Rebecca Lambe in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.1(b)(1) by making excessive in-kind contributions. Accordingly, on March 10, 2022, the Commission closed the file in this matter. The Factual and Legal Analysis, which more fully explains the basis for the Commission’s decision, is enclosed.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Disclosure of Certain Documents in Enforcement and Other Matters, 81 Fed. Reg. 50,702 (Aug. 2, 2016).

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* 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(8).

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

Sincerely,

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Enclosure
Factual and Legal Analysis