



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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April 8, 2019

THE HONORABLE SAMUEL B. GRAVES
1135 LONGWORTH HOB
WASHINGTON, DC 20515

Response Due Date
05/13/2019

CANDIDATE ID NUMBER: H0MO06073

Dear Representative Graves:

This letter constitutes formal written notification that "Graves For Congress" has filed reports of receipts and disbursements with the Commission and appears to have received contributions and/or made expenditures in support of your 2020 candidacy in excess of \$5,000. Commission Regulations define a "candidate" as "...an individual who seeks nomination for election, or election, to Federal office, whenever any of the following events occur:

- The individual has received contributions aggregating in excess of \$5,000 or has made expenditures aggregating in excess of \$5,000.
- The individual has given his or her consent to another person to receive contributions or make expenditures on behalf of that individual and such person has received contributions aggregating in excess of \$5,000 or made expenditures aggregating in excess of \$5,000.
- After written notification by the Commission that any other person has received contributions aggregating in excess of \$5,000 or made expenditures aggregating in excess of \$5,000 on the individual's behalf, the individual fails to disavow such activity by letter to the Commission within 30 days of receipt of the notification." (11 CFR § 100.3(a))

You have thirty-five (35) days from receipt of this notification to disavow these activities. To disavow send a letter directly to the Commission, marked Attention: Reports Analysis Division, stating that you are not a candidate for Federal Office and that you have not authorized the solicitation of contributions nor the making of expenditures on your behalf.

If you do not disavow these activities, you should file a Statement of Candidacy (FEC FORM 2). The FEC FORM 2 can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. (11 CFR § 101.1(a))

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If you have any further questions, please contact Jessica Grainger in the Reports Analysis Division on the toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). (His/Her) local number is (202) 694-1171.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nataliya Ioffe". The signature is written in a cursive style with some flourishes.

Nataliya Ioffe
Chief, Authorized Branch
Reports Analysis Division

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