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May 23, 2007

Madelynn M. Lane, Chief
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street NW
Washington, DC 20463

Dear Ms. Lane:

I am responding to your letter of May 17, 2007, a copy of which is attached.

I am not a candidate for Federal Office in the 2008 election cycle. There have been no contributions made to Friends of Mark Foley since my resignation on September 29, 2006.

The expenditures that have been reported by that committee and will continue to be reported, as required, are expenses incurred by the committee prior to my resignation, or that continued to be the responsibility of said committee. Itemized expenses included those that were incurred in relation to the closing of my campaign office and for the continued storage of records. Also included were 1120 POL taxes for the year 2006 as well as Florida Corporate taxes for 2006. Moving expenses from Washington DC to Florida that we were advised were appropriate campaign expenses via a memorandum from the Clerk of the House. Legal fees that are being incurred in responding to an investigation that was initiated by then, Speaker of the House, Dennis Hastert.

The committee will continue to file reports of expenditures according to the FEC schedule, but I am not a candidate for Federal Office.

Sincerely,


Mark Foley

cc: Christopher Whyrick; Reports Analysis Division

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 17, 2007

Mark Foley
1316 Lake Victoria Drive
Lake Worth, FL 33461

Response Due Date:
June 18, 2007

Candidate ID Number: H4FL16021

Dear Mr. Foley:

This letter constitutes formal written notification that Friends of Mark Foley has filed reports of receipts and disbursements with the Commission and appears to have received contributions and/or made expenditures in support of your 2008 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:

- (1) The individual has received contributions aggregating in excess of \$5,000 or has made expenditures aggregating in excess of \$5,000.
- (2) 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.
- (3) 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 receipt of the notification."
(11 C.F.R. § 100.3(a))

You have thirty 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.

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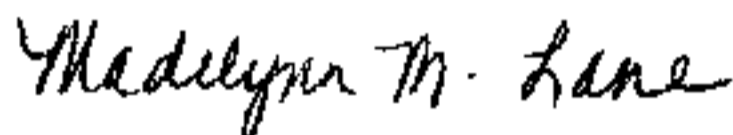
If you do not disavow these activities, you should file a Statement of Candidacy (FEC FORM 2). The FEC FORM 2 can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. (11 C.F.R. § 101.1(a))

Please note that Senate candidates must send a copy of their Statement of Candidacy to the FEC via fax (202-219-0174) or electronic mail (2022190174@fec.gov), in addition to filing their official copy on paper with the Secretary of the Senate. (11 C.F.R. § 400.20(b)(1))

Further, candidates for both the Senate and House of Representatives are required to send a copy of their Statement of Candidacy or the information required therein, including the amount by which they intend to exceed the threshold amount, to each of their opposing candidates via fax or electronic mail. (11 C.F.R. § 400.20(b)(1) and (2)) Fax numbers and e-mail addresses are located within a committee's Statement of Organization (FEC FORM 1) and can be found on the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>.

If you have any further questions, please contact Christopher Whyrick 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 local number is (202) 694-1161.

Sincerely,



Madelynn M. Lane
Chief, Authorized Branch
Reports Analysis Division

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