

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20463

January 10, 2023 1 2 **MEMORANDUM** TO: The Commission 3 4 5 FROM: Lisa J. Stevenson 6 **Acting General Counsel** 7 8 Charles Kitcher Associate General Counsel for Enforcement 9 10 Deputy Associate General Counsel for Enforcement 11 Peter G. Blumberg PGB Assistant General Counsel BY: 12 13 14 Dominique Dillenseger Attorney 15 **SUBJECT:** MUR 8074 (Kim Klacik for Congress) 16 Recommendation to Accept Signed Conciliation Agreement 17 18 On September 28, 2022, the Commission found reason to believe that Kim Klacik for 19 20 Congress and Bradley Crate in his official capacity as treasurer (the "Committee") violated: (1) 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 103.3(b) and 110.9 by knowingly accepting excessive 21 22 contributions; (2) 52 U.S.C. § 30102(e)(3)(B) by making an excessive contribution; (3) 52 U.S.C. § 30118(a) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 103.3(b) and 110.9 by knowingly accepting 23 24 prohibited corporate contributions; and (4) 52 U.S.C. § 30118(a) and 11 C.F.R. § 103.3(b) by knowingly accepting a prohibited contribution from an unregistered organization. The 25 Commission authorized the Office of General Counsel to engage in pre-probable cause 26 conciliation with the Committee.<sup>2</sup> 27 28

Certification ¶ 2.b-e (Sep. 30, 2022).

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*Id.* ¶ 2.g.

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12 13	We believe this settlement represents an acceptable resolution of the matter. Therefore, we recommend that the Commission accept the signed conciliation agreement
13	with the Committee and close the file.
15	RECOMMENDATIONS:
16	1. Accept the attached signed conciliation agreement;
17	2. Approve the appropriate letter; and
18	3. Close the file.
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