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Mr. Jason Mark Lewis
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Dear Mr. Lewis:

This responds to your letter of April 29, 2016, requesting a 30-day extension of time for filing the Financial Disclosure Statement required by the Ethics in Government Act (EIGA).

Title I of EIGA requires candidates in any primary or general election for the U.S. House of Representatives to file a Financial Disclosure Statement with the Clerk of the House. The Statement must be filed by May 15 or within 30 days in the calendar year that the individual qualifies as a candidate under the Federal Election Campaign Act (FECA) (i.e., by raising or spending more than \$5,000), whichever is later. In no event should it be filed later than 30 days before the election, unless qualification as a candidate occurs within that 30-day period. In that case, the due date for the Statement is the same as the date of qualification. A candidate must also file a new statement by May 15 of each subsequent year in which he or she continues to be a candidate.

EIGA authorizes this Committee to grant reasonable extensions of time for the filing of any Financial Disclosure Statement (including an amendment), the total of which may not exceed 90 days. However, an extension cannot be granted which authorizes a candidate's statement to be filed later than 30 days prior to a primary or general election in which the reporting individual is a candidate. As noted on the extension request form for candidates and in the financial disclosure instruction guide, extension requests must be received by the Committee on or before the applicable due date.

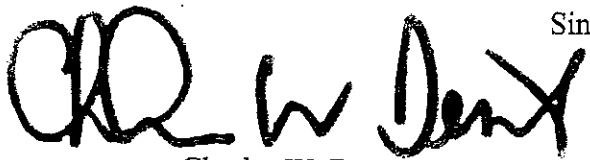
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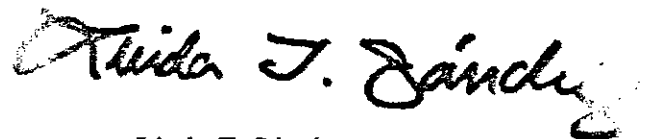
The primary election in Minnesota is scheduled for August 9, 2016. Accordingly, the Committee hereby grants you an extension of the filing due date from May 16, 2016, until June 15, 2016.

The Committee staff is available to answer any questions relating to financial disclosure.

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Charles W. Dent
Chairman

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda T. Sanchez".

Linda T. Sánchez
Ranking Member

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