

MEMORANDUM

TO:

The Commission

FROM:

Commission Secretary's Office

DATE:

October 30, 2013

SUBJECT:

Comments on Draft AO 2013-11

(Miller)

Attached is a comment received from Craig W. Smith.

This matter is on the October 31, 2013 Open Meeting Agenda.

Attachment



Subject AO 2013-11 Joe Miller Craig Smith to:

AO@FEC.GOV 10/30/2013 02:26 PM

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From: Craig Smith <

To: "AO@FEC.GOV" <AO@FEC.GOV>,

Please respond to Craig Smith <

I understand the draft advisory opinion would allow Joe Miller to use campaign funds to pay a legal judgment stemming from the 2010 Alaskan U. S. Senate race.

I am not in favor of allowing use of campaign funds to pay the legal judgment against Joe Miller.

I believe the lawsuits filed by Joe Miller were filed after he lost the senate race and were therefore filed by Joe Miller, the citizen, not the candidate.

I also helieve the use of campaign funds to pay the judgment constitutes conversion of campaign funds to personal use.

The real issue as noted in the FEC draft opinion is the question of integrity and truthfulness of a candidate for the U.S. Senate.

Respectively submitted by: Craig W. Smith