



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION
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Kevin Berreth
o/b/o Xochitl Paderes
Via email only: kevin@berrethlaw.com

No Action Closure Letter re FPPC No. 2025-00281; Xochitl Paderes

Dear Kevin Berreth:

The Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (the “Act”).¹ This letter is in response to a sworn complaint alleging that your client, Xochitl Paderes, violated provisions of the Act, including campaign reporting and the use of campaign funds. After concluding our investigation and review of the case, the Enforcement Division has found insufficient evidence of a violation of the Act. Therefore, we are closing this matter without further action.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me at vjimmy@fppc.ca.gov or (279) 237-5971.

Sincerely,

Vanessa Jimmy

Vanessa Jimmy
Commission Counsel
Enforcement Division

Cc: *Sworn Complainant*

¹ The Political Reform Act is contained in Government Code sections 81000 through 91014, and all statutory references are to this code. The regulations of the Fair Political Practices Commission are contained in sections 18104 through 18998 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, and all regulatory references are to this source.