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## **Via E-Mail**

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Re: Defamatory Advertisement

Dear Ms. Cousins:

I serve as counsel to Nida Allam, and Nida for NC. I write in response to the false and defamatory statements made by your committee in a new advertisement being disseminated by your committee as of today. By this letter you are hereby notified that the broadcast advertisement being disseminated by your committee contains a defamatory statement regarding our client, Nida Allam. The advertisement in question falsely claims that Ms. Allam has “refused to file a legally required financial disclosure.” Presumably, your committee’s advertisement refers to the personal financial disclosure forms required of federal candidates that is filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives. This statement is categorically false. As of the date of dissemination of your advertisement, Ms. Allam’s report had already been filed with the Clerk’s office.

The filing may be found here:

[https://disclosures-clerk.house.gov/public\\_disc/financial-pdfs/2025/10074393.pdf](https://disclosures-clerk.house.gov/public_disc/financial-pdfs/2025/10074393.pdf)

Your committee's defamatory statements have and will cause obvious and irreparable harm to Ms. Allam. Since Ms. Allam's filing was a matter of public record prior to the dissemination of your advertisement, your committee knew or should have known that advertisement was false. As a result, your advertisement displays a reckless disregard for the truth. On behalf of Ms. Allam, I demand that your committee immediately cease and desist from all use of your defamatory advertisement by immediately removing it from all platforms that the advertisement may be currently available and that you retract the statements made therein. In the event of your failure to remove and retract your committee's defamatory statements, Ms. Allam reserves all rights to vindicate her reputation in court.

Sincerely,



Neil P. Reiff  
Counsel to Nida Allam and Nida for NC