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Dear Madam Secretary:

I was writing to encourage you to reject the draft opinion about the role of ActBlue as a political action committee. It seems clear to me from my reading
on the issue that ActBlue functions more as a conduit than a decision-making body that directs donations in particular ways, which is the gist of what a PAC does. By being a neutral conduit for partisan contributions, it seems only to facilitate small donors and thus encourage more individual participation in the electoral process. Any developments that put the political process more in the hands of individual citizens should be encouraged. The effect of ruling against ActBlue will be chilling for all political parties.

Thank you,

Reader,
We had a lovely language.
We would not listen.
--- James Wright

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