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Subject Information re: AOR 2008-12

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As a follow-up to the questions you raised about AOR 2008-12, the Independent Party of Oregon's request for an advisory opinion that it qualifies as a State Party Committee under the Federal Election Campaign Act, 2 U.S.C. sec. 437, et seq., I am supplying a link to the on-line version of the Oregon Voters Pamphlet which is available for Oregon voters casting early ballots while in the military (the printed version is not yet available).

This link shows that Joel Haugen is listed on the ballot as the Independent Party candidate for the House of Representatives, First Congressional District of Oregon. Clicking on Mr. Haugen's name links to his filed candidate statement which shows he is no longer the candidate of the Republican Party. Mr. Haugen formally declined the nomination of the Republican Party in writing prior to the deadline for doing so (August 29, 2008). http://www.sos.state.or.us/elections/nov42008/military\_vp/rc.html

In the interim since submitting the materials in support of the AOR in August, Joel Haugen has received contributions (and made expenditures) in aggregate in excess of \$5000.00 and is now a federal candidate within the meaning of the F.E.C.A., 2.U.S.C. sec. 431(2). I therefore request the pending AOR be acted upon in consideration of Mr. Haugen's candidacy only, as well as the materials in the record relating to the status, operation and activities of the Independent Party.

Thank you for your consideration of the information in this e-mail and your assistance.

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# Representative in Congress

Political Parties - Constitution (C), Democrat (D), Independent (I), Libertarian (L), Not Affiliated (NA), Pacific Green (PG), Peace (P), Republican (R), Working Families (WF)

### **1st District**

Joel Haugen (I)
Chris Henry (PG)
Scott Semrau (C)
H Joe Tabor (L)
David Wu (D)

### **2nd District**

Noah Lemas (D) Tristin Mock (PG) Greg Walden (R)

# **3rd District**

Earl Blumenauer (D)
Delia Lopez (R)
Michael Meo (PG)

#### 4th District

Mike Beilstein (PG)
Peter A DeFazio (D)
Jaynee Germond (C)

### 5th District

Mike Erickson (R)
Steve Milligan (L)
Douglas Patterson (C)
Alex Polikoff (PG)
Kurt Schrader (D)