

**BEFORE THE IOWA  
ETHICS AND CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE BOARD**  
Pursuant to Chapter 17A and Chapter 68B

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	
	)	
COMMITTEE FOR	)	
KAREN BALDERSTON,	)	
A candidate's committee,	)	
and	)	Case No. <u>2004 IECDB 03</u>
KAREN BALDERSTON,	)	
Candidate,	)	FINAL DECISION and ORDER
<u>RESPONDENTS.</u>	)	<u>of the BOARD</u>

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HEREIN, pursuant to rules 351—11.25 and 11.26(5), the Iowa Ethics and Campaign Disclosure Board approves, adopts, and incorporates the Presiding Officer's Proposed Decision and Order entered on January 14, 2005.

The approval, adoption, and incorporation of the Presiding Officer's Proposed Decision and Order constitutes final agency action on this matter for purposes of seeking judicial review under Iowa Code section 68B.33 and Iowa Code section 17A.19. This Order to be entered into the public record on February 17, 2005.

IT IS SO ORDERED

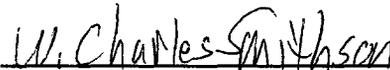
James Albert, Chair  
Janet Carl, Vice Chair  
Gerald Sullivan  
Betsy Roe  
John Walsh  
Patricia Harper

Pursuant to rule 351—11.27 both parties have the right to file an application for rehearing of this Order within 20 days after service of notice. An application for rehearing is not required for purposes of exhausting administrative remedies and an application for judicial review may be filed without first seeking a rehearing (Iowa Code section 17A.19(3)).

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned signed does hereby certify that this Final Decision and Order of the Board was personally served on February 21, 2005, to:

Kraig Paulsen  
Counsel for the Respondents

  
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W. Charles Smithson, Board Counsel