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Dear Ms. Dennis,

I hope this e-mail finds you well. I am writing today in regard to the correspondence sent by your office to the Ambulatory Surgery Center Association PAC (ASCA PAC) and its Treasurer regarding FEC AR 19-03. I also left you a voicemail regarding this matter earlier this afternoon.

Dentons US LLP represents ASCA PAC and its Treasurer (in his official capacity) in this matter, which is certified via the attached Designation of Counsel statements. Please confirm receipt of these documents at your earliest convenience.

In conjunction with submission of the attached Designation of Counsel forms, I would also like to request a reasonable extension of time for ASCA PAC and its Treasurer to respond to the allegations referenced in the complaint materials forwarded by your office. ASCA PAC and its Treasurer received a copy of the complaint materials in the mail on Wednesday, September 11th, giving them until Thursday, September 26th to respond under the normal 15-day window. Given the circumstances, we would ask for an additional 30-day extension to ensure that there is adequate time to review and address the issues raised in the referral and provide additional and complete details for your office. This would extend our response deadline to at least Saturday, October 26th, which we are happy to abide by (or we can simply send a copy of our response on the following Monday, October 28th).

If you are comfortable with the proposed extension request, we would very much appreciate confirmation of the extended filing deadline by e-mail for our records. If you'd like to discuss this request further, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or e-mail.

Thanks in advance for your time and assistance,  
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