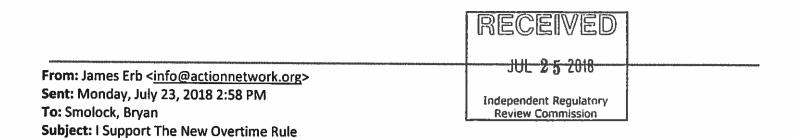
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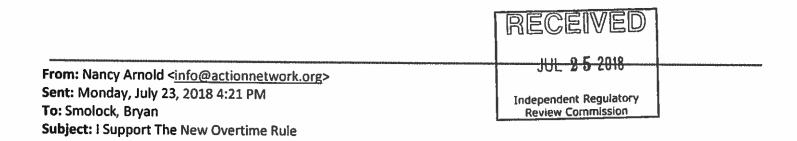
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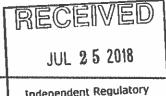
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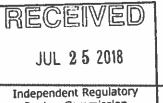
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From: Jeffrey A Smith <<u>info@actionnetwork.org</u>> Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2018 11:29 AM To: Smolock, Bryan Subject: I Support The New Overtime Rule

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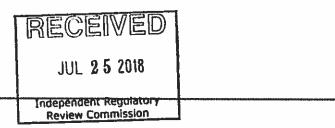
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