## **EXHIBIT 1**

## A STATEMENT BY TRUMP HOTELS & CASINO RESORTS, INC., IKON PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND THE NEW YORK INSTITUTE FOR LAW AND SOCIETY

Last spring the Institute sponsored ads and direct mail as part of a lobbying effort related to casino gambling. The ads and mail did not disclose that they were paid for by Trump Hotels & Casino Resorts, Inc. Although we did not believe that the ad and mail campaign was reportable lobbying activity, we have agreed to report the expenses for the lobbying effort pursuant to an agreement with the Commission and to pay to disseminate this statement. Donald Trump, Roger Stone and Thomas Hunter on behalf of Trump Hotels & Casino Resorts, Inc., Ikon Public Affairs and the New York Institute for Law and Society, respectively, apologize if anyone was misled concerning the production and funding of the lobbying effort.