FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Susan M. Stout, Treasurer
Grocery Manufacturers of America Inc
Political Action Committee ("GMA PAC")
1010 Wisconsin Avenue, NW, Suite 900
Washington, DC 20007

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Identification Number: C00250068

Reference: October Quarterly Report (7/1/02-9/30/02)

Dear Ms. Stout:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses one or more contributions to a candidate(s) for the 2002 Primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign.

If any apparently impermissible contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have made an impermissible contribution, you must request a refund or provide a written authorization for a redesignation of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.2(b) within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt.

If the foregoing conditions for redesignations were not met within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt, your committee must obtain a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding this impermissible activity, your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Kristen R. Davis

Kristen R. Davis
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
Grocery Manufacturers of America Inc Political Action Committee

A.
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Pat Roberts for Senate
Mailing Address: Box 433
City: Great Bend State: KS Zip Code: 67530
Purpose of Disbursement: YTD:$1000.00 Pat Roberts, U.S. SENATE KS
Candidate Name: Senator Pat Roberts
24K Category/Type
Office Sought: House / X Senate / President
State: KS District:
Disbursement For: 2002 Primary / X General / Other (specify)
Date of Disbursement: 08 / 07 / 2002
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 1000.00
Transaction ID: 10000000134700017

B.
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Hutchinson For Senate
Mailing Address: PO Box 906
City: Rogers State: AR Zip Code: 72757
Purpose of Disbursement: YTD:$1000.00 Tim Hutchinson, U.S. SENATE
Candidate Name: Tim Hutchinson
24K Category/Type
Office Sought: House / X Senate / President
State: AR District:
Disbursement For: 2002 X Primary / General / Other (specify)
Date of Disbursement: 08 / 07 / 2002
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 1000.00
AR Primary 5/21/02
Transaction ID: 10000000134800018

C.
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Collins for Senator
Mailing Address: 425 Second Street, NE
City: Washington State: DC Zip Code: 20002
Purpose of Disbursement: YTD:$2000.00 Susan Collins, U.S. SENATE
Candidate Name: Susan Collins
24K Category/Type
Office Sought: House / X Senate / President
State: ME District:
Disbursement For: 2002 Primary / X General / Other (specify)
Date of Disbursement: 08 / 07 / 2002
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 1000.00
Transaction ID: 10000000134900019

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional) ▶ 3000.00

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FEC Schedule B (Revised 1/2001)