FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Edward McElroy, Treasurer
American Federation of Teachers, AFL-CIO
Committee on Political Education
555 New Jersey Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20001

SEP 2 3 1998

Identification Number: C00028860

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Mr. McElroy:

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 a contribution(s) to Democratic Legislative Campaign Committee and Committee to Elect Martin Chavez Governor. Please clarify whether this is a federal committee(s), as there does not appear to be a committee(s) registered with the Commission under this name(s) . In the event this is a non-federal committee(s), please disclose it on Schedule B supporting Line 29 of the Detailed Summary Page.

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee and its affiliates from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of $5,000 per election.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of $5,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best

interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund 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 the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

A written response or an 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. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A. L. Kitchen

Antoinette Kitchen
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS COMMITTEE ON POLITICAL EDUCATION

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day,year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
CANNEMEYER 2 CONGRESS 12811 8TH AVE W #A105 EVERETT, WA 98204	CANNEMEYER, GRETHE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE COIST 2,WA - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	06/16/98	5,000.00
CAROL MOSELEY BRAUN FOR US SENATE 236 MASS AVE., NW SUITE #202 WASHINGTON, DC 20002	BRAUN, CAROL MOSELEY CONTRIBUTION US SENATE COIST ,IL - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	05/06/98	5,000.00
CAROLYN MALONEY FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 230 PARK AVE 34TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10169	MALONEY, CAROLYN CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE COIST 14,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	05/15/98	1,000.00
CASEY FOR CONGRESS 434 LACKAWANNA AVE. #300 SCRANTON, PA 18503	CASEY, PATRICK CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE COIST 10,PA - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	06/17/98	5,000.00
CHARLIE A. GONZALEZ CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN PO BOX 12612 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78212	GONZALEZ, CHARLIE A. CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE COIST 20,TX - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	06/17/98	1,000.00
CHET EDWARDS FOR CONGRESS PO BOX 23273 WACO, TX 76702	EDWARDS, CHET CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE COIST 11,TX - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	05/12/98	500.00

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BOSWELL FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE PO BOX 823 INDIANOLA, IO 50125	BOSWELL, LEONARD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,IO - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	07/22/97 11/05/97	500.00 2,500.00
BOSWELL FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE PO BOX 823 INDIANOLA, IO 50125	BOSWELL, LEONARD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,IO - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	12/10/97	2,500.00
BOYD FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE PO BOX 15703 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32317	BOYD, ALLEN CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 2,FL - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	11/20/97	500.00
BRIAN BAIRD FOR CONGRESS PO BOX 11189 OLYMPIA, WA 98508-1189	BAIRD, BRIAN CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,WA - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	12/12/97	5,000.00
CAROL MOSELEY BRAUN FOR US SENATE 236 MASS AVE., NW SUITE #202 WASHINGTON, DC 20002	BRAUN, CAROL MOSELEY CONTRIBUTION US SENATE CDIST ,IL - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	12/12/97	3,000.00
CAROL MOSELEY BRAUN FOR US SENATE 236 MASS AVE., NW SUITE #202 WASHINGTON, DC 20002	BRAUN, CAROL MOSELEY CONTRIBUTION US SENATE CDIST ,IL - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	12/16/97	1,000.00

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FRIENDS OF MAJOR OWENS PO BOX 2265 BROOKLYN, NY 11202	OWENS, MAJOR R. CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 11,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	06/16/97	250.00
FRIENDS OF MAURICE HINCHEY 19 CHENANGO STREET #404 BINGHAMTON, NY 13901	HINCHEY, MAURICE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 26,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	02/07/97	1,000.00
FRIENDS OF PATRICK KENNEDY 530 7TH ST SE 2ND FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20003	KENNEDY, PATRICK CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 1,RI - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	03/11/97 06/16/97	2,000.00 3,000.00
FRIENDS OF ROSA DELAURO 501 CAPITOL COURT, NE #200 WASHINGTON, DC 20002	DELAURO, ROSA CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,CT - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	05/15/97	1,500.00
FRIENDS OF SHERROD BROWN COMMITTEE 111 EDGEFIELD DRIVE ELYRIA, OH 44035	BROWN, SHERROD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 13,OH - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	06/24/97	1,000.00
GEPHARDT IN CONGRESS COMMITTEE PO BOX 2684 WASHINGTON, DC 20013	GEPHARDT, RICHARD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,MO - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	03/20/97	5,000.00

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FRIENDS OF MAURICE HINCHEY 288 WALL ST PO BOX 4497 KINGSTON, NY 12401	HINCHEY, MAURICE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 26,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	12/16/97	2,500.00
FRIENDS OF ROSA DELAURO 49 HUNTINGTON STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06511	DELAURO, ROSA CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3,CT - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	10/06/97	500.00
FRIENDS OF SHERWOOD BOEHLERT P.O. BOX C UTICA, NY 13503	BOEHLERT, SHERWOOD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 23,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	12/16/97	2,500.00
GENE GREEN CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN PO BOX 75214 WASHINGTON, DC 20013-5214	GREEN, GENE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 29,TX - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	09/11/97 09/29/97	500.00 1,000.00
GUTIERREZ FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 2300 N. MILWAUKEE AVE., #334 CHICAGO, IL 60647	GUTIERREZ, LUIS CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 4,IL - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	07/07/97	2,500.00
HAROLD FORD, JR. A NEW VISION COMMITTEE PO BOX 2004 WASHINGTON, DC 20013-2004	FORD, HAROLD CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 9,TN - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	10/20/97	1,000.00

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FRIENDS OF JIM OBERSTAR PO BOX 465 DULUTH, MN 55802	OBERSTAR, JAMES L. CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 8,MN - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	06/17/98	2,500.00
FRIENDS OF LANE EVANS COMMITTEE PO BOX 5269 ROCK ISLAND, IL 61204	EVANS, LANE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 17,IL - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	05/06/98	5,000.00
FRIENDS OF LOIS CAPPS 25 WEST ARAPAHO SANTA BARBARA, CA 93101	CAPPS, LOIS CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 22,CA - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	05/26/98	5,000.00
FRIENDS OF LOIS CAPPS 25 WEST ARAPAHO SANTA BARBARA, CA 93101	CAPPS, LOIS CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 22,CA - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	06/15/98	5,000.00
FRIENDS OF MAURICE HINCHEY 288 WALL ST PO BOX 4497 KINGSTON, NY 12401	HINCHEY, MAURICE CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 26,NY - 1998 Disbursement for: X Primary __ General __ Other (specify)	06/17/98	1,500.00
FRIENDS OF ROBERT BURCH 419 SOUTH MONROE ST DOVER, OH 44622	BURCH, ROBERT CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 18,OH - 1998 Disbursement for: __ Primary X General __ Other (specify)	05/25/98	5,000.00

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full) Voice of Teachers for Education/Committee on Political Education of the NYS United Teachers

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
A. McNulty for Congress PO81560 Green Island, NY 12183	Contribution 6 Tickets Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify)	8/26/97	300.00
B. Friends of Maurice Hinchey James Testani 19 Carhart Ave Johnson City, NY 13790	Contribution 10 Tickets Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify)	9/16/97	400.00
C. DNC/Women's Leadership Forum N.E. Chapter Federal Account 102 West 79 St., Suite 1G New York, NY 10024	Contribution Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify)	12/9/97	1,000.00
D.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
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