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Identification Number: C00032979

Reference: September Monthly Report [08/01/08 – 08/31/08]

Dear Julie Fleming:

A Form 99 response was filed on December 15, 2008 regarding the corrective action taken for Schedule A disclosure of contribution totaling \$3,843 from George Weston Bakery. A photocopy of the check for refund is attached to this correspondence.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this information. Please contact me at 202-624-8738 or cbrady@teamster.org if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Colleen Brady".

Colleen Brady
Director, DRIVE

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This is a response to the RFAI dated November 12, 2008 regarding the September 2008 Monthly Report:

Item 1:
George Weston Bakery for a contribution totaling \$3,843.00 deposited on 08/11/2008 reported on Schedule A, Line 17.

This represents an incorrect deposit of union dues into the DRIVE account. The DRIVE contribution receipts are processed through a bank lockbox and there is no opportunity to identify incorrect receipts prior to deposit. A refund of the incorrect deposit was issued on 9/24/2008 and was reported on the October 2008 FEC report on Schedule B, Line 29 as a Refund of Incorrect Deposit Reported on Sept 20, 2008. A photocopy of the George Weston Bakery refund check in the amount of \$3,843.00 dated 09/24/2008 has been sent to the FEC via certified mail.

Item 2:
An apparent excessive contribution to Kirkpatrick for Arizona for General 2008 election.

The contribution in the amount of \$2,500.00 dated 06/28/2008 was issued and reported by Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen PAC, an affiliate of National DRIVE.

This contribution was issued for Primary 2008 but reported incorrectly to the Federal Election Commission as a General 2008 contribution. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen PAC filed an amended report on November 19th to reflect the correct election information for Kirkpatrick for Arizona as contribution activity for Primary 2008.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this explanation.

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GEOWESBA01 GEORGE WESTON BAKERY

DRIVE Committee

09/24/2008

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481758	09/22/2008	09/22/08	3,843.00	3,843.00	0.00	3,843.00
Invoice	Description	INCORRECT	DEPOSIT			

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Wachovia Bank, Int'l Assoc.
Washington, DC 20001

15-122/540

Check # 006092

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DRIVE Committee
25 Louisiana Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20001-2198
Political Fund

Check Date
09/24/2008

Check Amount
*****\$3,843.00

Three Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Three and 00/100----- Dollars

PAY TO THE ORDER OF GEORGE WESTON BAKERY
PO BOX 699
BAY SHORE, NY 11706

VOID

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Authorized Signatures

GEOWESBA01 GEORGE WESTON BAKERY

DRIVE Committee

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