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Reference: Amended October Quarterly Report (7/1/02-9/30/02), received  
10/30/02

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

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:

- On Schedule A supporting Line 15 of your report, your committee discloses an apparent refund from Longley for Congress for "Mailing Expenses". However, it appears your previously filed reports do not disclose the original disbursement(s) to this candidate for "Mailing Expenses". Also on Schedule A supporting Line 15 of your report, your committee discloses an apparent offset to an operating expenditure from "David Clarenbach", however, it appears your previously filed reports do not disclose the original disbursement(s) to vendor. Please amend the appropriate report(s) covering the period during which the original disbursements were made or provide clarifying information regarding these transactions.

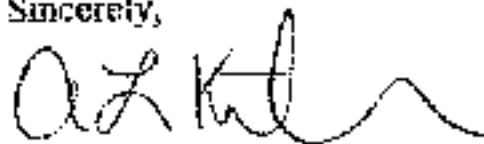
- Your Amended July Quarterly Report received 3/8/03, states "... the Committee requested and received a refund from the Longley campaign on 7/19/02." However, this report does not disclose a refund from Longley for Congress on that date. Please amend your report to clarify this discrepancy and be advised that Line 16 should be used to disclose refunds received from federal candidates and committees.

- Schedule A supporting Line 15 of the Detailed Summary Page discloses a refund(s) or rebate(s) of what appears to be a previously disclosed allocable expense(s) from "Verizon" and "David Clarenbach". Please be advised that

when a committee receives a refund or rebate of an allocable expense, it must be allocated between the federal and non-federal accounts according to the same allocation ratio used to allocate the original disbursement. Furthermore, the federal account must transfer the non-federal portion to the non-federal account and disclose this transfer-out on Schedule H4. Your report does not appear to disclose a transfer-out of the non-federal portion of this refund(s) or rebate(s). Please provide clarification regarding this apparent omission.

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,



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