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AMERICAN FUTURE FUND
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IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C90011677

Response Due Date
07/26/2016

REFERENCE: APRIL QUARTERLY REPORT (01/01/2016 - 03/31/2016)

Dear Filer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the Report of Independent Expenditures Made and Contributions Received (FEC Form 5) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** Additional information is needed for the following 4 item(s):

1. Line 7 of your FEC Form 5 filing discloses disbursements made for independent expenditure(s). However, no contributions are disclosed on Line 6, "Total Contributions." Each contributor who made a donation in excess of \$200 to further the independent expenditure(s) must be itemized on Schedule 5-A, including their identification information. Please amend your report to provide the missing information or provide clarifying information. (11 CFR §§ 109.10(e)(1)(vi) and 114.10(f))
2. On Schedule 5-E of this report, you have not itemized all of the necessary independent expenditure information. Proper disclosure requires the full name and address of the payee, the date, the amount, the aggregate calendar-year-to-date total, the purpose, the election, and the name, office sought, state, and district of the federal candidate supported or opposed by the expenditure. Please amend your report to include whether each of the independent expenditures were made in support of or in opposition to the candidate. (11 CFR § 109.10(e)(1))
3. You filed a 24 hour report informing the Commission of an independent expenditure for \$750,000.00 made on 3/11/16 opposing Donald Trump. However, the name of the payee disclosed on this report does not appear to correlate with the entry on Schedule 5-E of your quarterly report covering the

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applicable period.

In addition, you filed a 24 hour report disclosing an independent expenditure to Content Creative Media for \$500,000.00 opposing John Kasich. In this instance, the date of public dissemination disclosed on this report does not appear to correlate with the entry on Schedule 5-E of your quarterly report covering the applicable period.

If you have filed 24 hour report(s) supporting independent expenditures not reflected on your quarterly report, you must amend your quarterly report for the appropriate reporting period to disclose these payments on Schedule 5-E. Please amend your report(s) to clarify this discrepancy and provide further information concerning these report(s). (11 CFR §109.10)

4. Your quarterly report discloses an independent expenditure to DDC Advocacy for \$9,153.10 on 3/12/16.. This expenditure does not appear on a 24-hour report.

Please be advised that Commission Regulations require that you file 48-hour reports once you make independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before the election. The report must be received at the Commission 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time by the second day after the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate \$10,000 or more, you must file another 48-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(c) and (e))

In addition, you are required to file 24-hour reports once your independent expenditures aggregate \$1,000 or more after the 20th day but more than 24 hours before 12:01 a.m. of the day of the election. The report must be received at the Commission by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time of the day following the date on which the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate \$1,000 or more, you must file another 24-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(d) and (e))

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Please provide clarification regarding whether a 24/48-hour report was required but not filed. If the date disclosed on your Form 5 was the date of payment, rather than the date of public dissemination or distribution, please provide the date of dissemination or distribution.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1154.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jill Sugarman".

Jill Sugarman
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst
Reports Analysis Division