

Mr. Christopher J. Morse  
Campaign Finance Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re:

- I. April Monthly Report (03/01/08-03/31/08)
- II. May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08)
- III. June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08)

Dear Mr. Morse:

We have received your letters dated July 9th, 2008 regarding the Illinois Republican Party's May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08) and June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08).

I. April Monthly Report (03/01/08-03/31/08)

1. Upon review of your letter regarding the Illinois Republican Party's June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08), we have also amended our April Monthly Report (03/01/08-03/31/08) to correct totals on Line 1(a) and 1(b), Column B of the Schedule L Aggregate Page for the Levin account.

2. The April Monthly Report (03/01/08-03/31/08) totaled, but did not itemize the receipts on Schedule A supporting Line 11(c). The computer software error that caused this problem has been corrected and the report will be amended.

II. May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08)

1. Schedule A of our report disclosed a contribution from the Manufacturers Political Action Committee on 04/23/08 for \$5,000. The result of a Committee Search on the Federal Election Commission's website [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov) showed that the Manufacturer's Political Action Committee was listed at the same address with the same Treasurer as the contributor, with the Committee ID: C00363622. However, the Manufacturer's Political Action Committee no longer files with the FEC nor does it contain permissible fund. Therefore the Illinois Republican Party has refunded the contribution on July 17, 2008 and this will be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 28 in our August Monthly Report (07/01/08-07/31/08). An amended May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08) will also be filed noting that this contribution has been returned.

2. Upon review of your letter regarding the Illinois Republican Party's June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08), we have also amended our May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08) to correct totals on Line 1(a) and 1(b), Column B of the Schedule L Aggregate Page for the Levin account.

III. June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08)

1. The totals listed on Lines 1(a) and 1(b), Column B of Schedule L Aggregate Page for the Levin account were listed correctly on the June Monthly Report (05/01/08-05/31/08), but incorrectly on the April Monthly Report (03/01/08-03/31/08) and the May Monthly Report (04/01/08-04/30/08). Those reports will be amended.

2. Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of our report disclosed a payment to Pinnacle Direct for "List Rental." This list rental was used for fundraising and not in conjunction with Voter Identification, Generic Campaign and Get-out-the-vote activity conducted in connection with an election in which one or more candidates for Federal office appear on the

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**ETEXT ATTACHMENT**

ballot.

Sincerely,

Dave Syverson

Treasurer

Illinois Republican Party

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