

Massachusetts Republican Party
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Response to Letter Reference: Amended July Monthly Report 6/1/03 - 6/20/03, received 4/20/04

In response to the above reference letter dated 7/7/04, please note that an amended report has been efiled to clarify the following issues:

1) Clarification of expenditures made for "Fundraising Costs- Hotel": Report has been amended to read fundraising costs- catering for an event held at the Ritz Hotel. Expense was for catering and room rental fee. Please contact us if you don't understand the expenditure. This was non-FEA activity, and not made on behalf of any federal candidate.

2) Clarification of expenditures made for "Professional Fees" and "Professional Fees; Reimbursement"- The report has been clarified to read "non-FEA professional fees", meaning they were expenses for consultants who advised us during internal finance meetings- not related to any federal candidate, not related to electioneering communications. As such, these expenses are correctly reported on Line