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Terence K. Ruhe, Treasurer  
Fifth Third Bancorp Political  
Action Committee  
38 Fountain Square Plaza  
Cincinnati, OH 45263

Identification Number: C00290502

Reference: 30 Day Post-General Report (10/20/94-12/5/94)

Dear Mr. Ruhe:

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:

-The totals listed on Lines 23, 29 and 30, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B totals.

-The beginning cash balance of this report should equal the ending balance of your 12 Day Pre-General Report. Please clarify this discrepancy and amend any subsequent report(s) that may be affected by this correction.

-The total listed on Line 7, Column B of the Summary Page appears to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Line 7 Column B total.

-Schedule B, supporting Line 29, discloses a "check returned uncashed" from Hamilton County Republican Finance Committee. This amount should be deducted from your Line 29 total. Please amend your report to clarify this discrepancy.

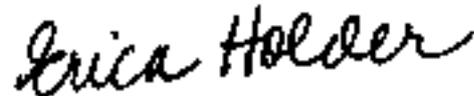
-Your report discloses contributions made to a federal candidate in excess of \$1,000 per election; however, the Commission has no record of a FORM 1M filed by your

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committee. Please note that as of January 1, 1994, all political committees who attain multicandidate status must file a Notification of Multicandidate Status within ten (10) days of meeting the qualifications. For further guidance on the multi-candidate qualifications and requirements, please see 11 CFR §102.2(a)(3) and §110.2(a)(2). Please submit a FORM 1M (enclosed) to disclose the required information for the public record.

A written response or an 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. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,



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