



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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David Dugas, Treasurer
Republican Party of Louisiana
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Baton Rouge, LA 70809

Identification Number: C00187450

Reference: October Quarterly (7/1/98-9/30/98), 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98), and 30 Day Post-General Report (10/15/98-11/23/98) Reports

Dear Mr. Dugas:

On February 24, 1998 you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

The Commission is in receipt of your letter dated March 15, 1999. Please be advised that if the information requested by the Commission is not received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

Please note that in the Commission's letters concerning your October Quarterly and 12 Day Pre-General Reports, you were questioned regarding discrepancies with the coordinated expenditure schedules (Schedule F). Please note that you should amend Schedule F by providing the aggregate general election expenditures for each candidate supported, not the aggregate year-to-date totals. To calculate these figures you should add any coordinated expenditures made in 1997 for the general election to the 1998 totals.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Kenneth A. Davis on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John D. Gibson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director