



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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February 18, 2010

Thomas Ready, Treasurer
Campbell for Colorado
2834 Eagle Circle
Erie, CO 80516

**Response Due Date:
March 25, 2010**

Identification Number: C00384610

Reference: Year End Report (10/1/09 – 12/31/09)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) 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 Senate Public Records Office by the response date noted above. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following item:

-Schedule B of your report discloses salary payments to members of the candidate's family that possibly constitute personal use of the committee's campaign funds. Salary payments made to members of the candidate's family constitute personal use of campaign funds unless the family member is providing *bona fide* services to the campaign. If a family member is providing *bona fide* services to the campaign, any salary payment in excess of the fair market value of the services provided is personal use. (11 CFR 113.1(g)(1)(i)(H))

Please amend your report to clarify what action you will take concerning the possibility of these salary payments being personal use of campaign funds. If the disbursement(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly reported, you must amend your original report to include additional clarifying information.

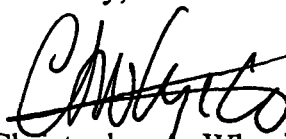
If the disbursements do constitute personal use of campaign funds, the Commission may take further legal action. However, prompt action to obtain reimbursement of the funds in question will be taken into consideration.

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Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also 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. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problems should be filed with the Senate Public Records Office. Please contact the Senate Public Records Office at (202) 224-0322 for instructions on how and where to file an amendment. 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) 694-1161.

Sincerely,



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