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Larry E. Everhart, Treasurer
Ryan for Congress
P.O. Box 1919
Jamesville, WI 53547

Identification Number: C00330894

Reference: April Quarterly Report (1/1/98-3/31/98)

Dear Mr. Everhart:

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:

-Schedule A of your report discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act (copies attached). You should examine all of your contributions to check for additional excessives. The Committee's procedures for processing contributions should also be reviewed.

An individual or a political committee other than a qualified multicandidate committee may not make a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of $1,000 per election. A qualified multicandidate committee and all affiliated committees may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of $5,000 per election. The term "contribution" includes any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value made by any person for the purpose of influencing any election for federal office. (2 U.S.C. §441a(a) and (f); 11 CFR §110.1(b), (e) and (k))

If the contribution(s) in question was not completely or correctly reported, you should amend your original report using the new or corrected information. If the contribution(s) exceeds the limits, you should either refund to the donor the amount in excess of $1,000 or request a written redesignation and/or reattribution of the contribution(s) from the donor. All

refunds, redesignations, and reattributions must be made within sixty days of receipt of the contribution. Copies of refund checks and copies of letters reattributing or redesignating the contributions in question may be used to respond to this letter. Refunds are reported on Line 20 of the Detailed Summary Page and on a supporting Schedule B of the report covering the period in which they are made. Redesignations and reattributions are reported as memo entries on Schedule A of the report covering the period in which the authorization for the redesignation and/or reattribution is received. (11 CFR §104.8(d)(2), (3) and (4))

The acceptance of excessive contributions is a serious problem. Again, the committee's procedures for processing contributions should be examined and corrected in order to avoid this problem. Although the Commission may take further legal action, prompt action by you to refund or seek redesignation and/or reattribution of the excessive amount will be considered.

-While it is permissible for a person to make a contribution for the general election prior to the primary election, the recipient committee must employ an acceptable accounting method to distinguish between primary and general election contributions. 11 CFR §102.9(e) This general election amount should be maintained in the committee's account.

If the candidate does not participate in the general election, any contribution received for the general election must be returned to the donors, redesignated or reattributed in accordance with 11 CFR §§110.1(b)(5), 110.2(b)(5) or 110.1(k)(3), as appropriate. The use of general election contributions to pay primary debts and obligations is prohibited under the Act as such use could result in individuals making contributions with respect to the primary election in excess of the $1,000 per election limit. Any subsequent report(s) filed with the Commission should disclose the refund, redesignation or reattribution of any general election contribution. Refunds, redesignations, or reattributions must be done within sixty days after the 1998 Primary Election.

-Contributions from individuals and persons other than political committees must be itemized if the aggregate total from the contributor exceeds $200 in a calendar year. (2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3)) Should a committee wish to disclose contributions that do not require itemization, it must do so on a

separate Schedule A and report the total amount of unitemized contributions on Line 11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page. (11 CFR §104.3(a)(4)(i))

-Your report includes computer produced formats of Schedule A. Computer produced formats may only be used upon prior approval of the Commission. You should submit a separate sample format with a cover letter requesting approval. Until your format has been approved, FEC forms must be used. (11 CFR §104.2(d))

Any amendment or clarification should be filed with the Federal Election Commission. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Mary Beth deBeau

Mary Beth deBeau
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full): **Ryan for Congress**

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Raymond Kubly 1110 Edgewood Drive Madison, WI 53711 Receipt For: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify):	Swiss Colony Chair	12/15/97	$1,000.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$1,000.00	
Raymond Kubly 1110 Edgewood Drive Madison, WI 53711 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Swiss Colony Chair	12/15/97	$1,000.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$1,000.00	
Smith Davis 1333 New Hampshire Ave. NW Washington, DC 20036 Receipt For: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify):	Akin, Gump Attorney	11/18/97	$500.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$500.00	
Richard Mann W4816 Potter Road Elkhorn, WI 53121 Receipt For: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify):	Mann Bros. Chair	12/15/97	$500.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$500.00	
David Baum 2727 River Bluff Dr. Janesville, WI 53545 Receipt For: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify):	SSI Inc. Chair	12/16/97	$1,000.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$3,000.00	
David Baum 2727 River Bluff Dr. Janesville, WI 53545 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	SSI Inc. Chair	12/16/97	$1,000.00
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Jane Gilbertson 2804 Dartmoth Dr. Janesville, WI 53545 Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Farm and Fleet Owner	3/16/98	$1,000.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$1,000.00	
Vito Pascucci 7001 Leblanc Blvd Kenosha, WI 53141-1415 Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):		3/16/98	$100.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$100.00	
Richard Cullen POBox 1967 Janesville, WI 53547 Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	JP Cullen & Sons Owner	3/17/98	$250.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$250.00	
J. Rench 1405 18th St. Racine, WI 53403 Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Racine Industries Chairman	3/17/98	$500.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$500.00	
David Davies 700 Waters Edge Racine, WI 53402 Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	D.W.DaviesCoInc Board chairman	3/18/98	$1,000.00
	Aggregate Year-to-Date	$1,000.00	
David Davies 700 Waters Edge Racine, WI 53402 Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☑ General ☐ Other (specify):	D.W.DaviesCoInc Board chairman	3/18/98	$1,000.00
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David Narrowicz 311 S. Vincennes Circle Racine, WI 53402	Warren Industries, Inc. President	3/10/98	$800.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$800.00	
Eugene DeBartolo 2907 63rd St. Kenosha, WI 53143	Roosevelt Body Shop Owner	3/18/98	$100.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$100.00	
Richard Mann W4818 Potter Rd. Elkhorn, WI 53121	Mann Bros., Inc. President	3/23/98	$1,000.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$1,000.00	
Alan Schaefer 515-71St. St. Kenosha, WI 53143	K.L.C Investments Pres.	3/31/98	$1,000.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$1,000.00	
Mark Cullen PO Box 1957 Janesville, WI 53547	JP cullen Owner	3/26/98	$1,000.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$1,000.00	
Richard Cullen PO Box 1957 Janesville, WI 53547	JP Cullen Owner	3/31/98	$1,000.00
Receipt For: ☑ Primary ☐ General ☐ Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date >	$1,000.00	

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