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THOMAS CONWAY, TREASURER
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ANESTHESIOLOGISTS
POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE
520 N. NORTHWEST HIGHWAY
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068

Response Due Date
03/30/2012

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00255752

REFERENCE: YEAR-END REPORT (12/01/2011 - 12/31/2011)

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. **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 3 item(s):

1. Your calculations for Line 8 appear to be incorrect. Cash on hand at the close of the current reporting period should always equal the closing calendar year to date cash on hand amount. Please provide the corrected total on the Summary Page. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
2. Your calculations for Lines 11(a)(iii), 11(d) and 19, column B appear to be incorrect. FEC calculations disclose the amount on Line 11(a)(iii), column B to be \$436,692.00. Please provide the corrected totals on the Detailed Summary Page. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b)(2) and 11 CFR §104.3(a)(4))
3. Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Contributions to non-federal committees should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 29 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (2 U.S.C § 434(b) and FORM 3X Instructions)

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

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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.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. 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) 694-1133.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Morse', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Christopher Morse
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division