



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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September 24, 2010

Don Stiles, Treasurer
Freedom First PAC
P.O. Box 9190
St. Paul, MN 55109-0190

Response Due Date:
October 29, 2010

Identification Number: C00467688

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/10-6/30/10)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report 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 2 items:

1. Schedule B of your report discloses earmarked contributions totaling **\$3,006**, with no corresponding entries on Schedule A. Pursuant to 11 CFR §110.6(c), all earmarked contributions, that have passed through a conduit's account, must be itemized on the receipt (Schedule A) and disbursement (Schedule B) schedules, regardless of the amount. All earmarked contributions that have been forwarded in the form of the contributor's check or written instrument must be itemized as memo entries on the receipt (Schedule A) and disbursement (Schedule B) schedules, regardless of amount. Please identify the original contributors for the earmarked contributions disclosed on Schedule B.
2. Schedule A supporting Line 15 of your report discloses offsets to operating expenditures totaling \$2,884.56 from the "Lake County Republican Federation" and "Republican Governor's Association"; however, your report(s) does not appear to disclose disbursements to these entities. Please provide clarifying information regarding this activity and amend your report(s) if necessary.

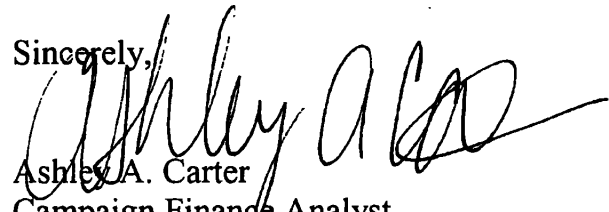
Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action

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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.**

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) 694-1173.

Sincerely,



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Reports Analysis Division

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