FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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October 7, 2008

Response Due Date:
November 7, 2008

Darrell W. Crate, Treasurer
Romney for President, Inc.
80 Hayden Avenue
Lexington, MA 02421

Identification Number: C00431171

Reference: September Monthly Report (8/1/08 - 8/31/08)

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 item:

- Commission Regulations require the continuous reporting of all outstanding loans. This report omits the loan(s) itemized on your previous report(s). Please amend your report(s) to indicate the current status of the loan(s) owed to the candidate totaling $44,555,000.00. (11 CFR §§ 104.3(d) and 104.11)

The loan(s) from the candidate must be repaid or the candidate may forgive the entire amount of each loan. If the candidate has forgiven the loan(s), the committee should file a Schedule C showing a $0 balance and a letter signed by the candidate stating the loan(s) is forgiven.

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.**

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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) 694-1395.

Sincerely,

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Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
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