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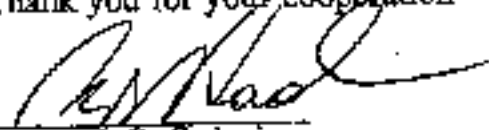
Federal Election Commission
Washington, D.C. 20463

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your letter dated September 11, 1996 regarding our contributions made to Congressman Pallone, enclosed please find a letter from same about the action they have taken, with which we have no problem.

Kindly send instructions, whether you would still like us to amend our previously filed reports and in what form.

Thank you for your cooperation



Nazareth B. Sadorian
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March 31, 1996

Mr. Vicken Sonetz-Papazian
Armenian National Committee PAC
419 West Colorado Street
Glendale, CA 91204

Dear Mr. Sonetz-Papazian:

On behalf of Congressman Frank Pallone, I want to express my appreciation for your recent contribution of \$1600.00 dated March 16, 1996.

Since this contribution will place the Armenian National Committee over the \$5000.00 contribution limit for the 1996 primary I have applied the contribution as follows:

Primary 1996-\$1300.00
General 1996-\$ 300.00

If you have any questions regarding this matter please feel free to contact me. Once again, thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



Karen Beson
Assistant Treasurer



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Dear Mr. Sadorian:

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:

-Please provide the total(s) for Line 11(d), Columns A and B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$5,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the contributor. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 23 by providing the full address and office sought including state and congressional district, if applicable for each contribution made to a federal candidate or political committee. 11 CFR §§104.3(b)(3)(ii) and (v)

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,



Amy Suzanne Reynolds
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

