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Fifth Congressional District Republican Committee
Box 159, 1730 New Brighton Blvd. Minneapolis, MN. 55413

September 17, 2001

Thomas Maxwell, III
Reports Analyst, Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Minnesota Fifth Congressional District Republican Committee, JD.# C00319038

Dear Mr. Maxwell:

To confirm our previous telephone conversations, and in response to your recent letter, please find enclosed an amended Schedule H-I for the period 1/1/99-12/31/99. It appears from this amendment that there is a significant change in our allocation percentage between Federal and non-Federal activity.

Also enclosed is a copy of our check in the amount of \$584.00 returning the reported receipts from the 4/1/00-6/30/00 reporting period to our non-Federal account. This reported activity was income from a shared fundraising event that was allocated originally to our non-Federal account. It was an attempt by our previous organization to correct an allocation error. We now understand that we need to collect receipts (and make disbursements) from shared activities within the Federal account and disburse the appropriate proportion to our non-Federal account. We will follow the appropriate process in the future.

During our latest telephone conversation, you suggested we also review our statement for the first quarter of 2000. Since no activity occurred within our Federal account for this period, there is no needed corrective action.

Thank you for your assistance, and your patience, while we investigated these issues. Please call me at (612) 373-7289 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Cindy Niesen
Treasurer
Minnesota 5th Congressional District Republicans

Enclosures

SCHEDULE H1 (FEC Form 3X)

METHOD OF ALLOCATION FOR SHARED FEDERAL AND NON-FEDERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AND GENERIC VOTER DRIVE COSTS

NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full) C60379038
Minnesota 5th Congressional District Republican Committee

USE ONLY ONE SECTION

A. NATIONAL PARTY COMMITTEES

FIXED FEDERAL PERCENTAGE (Check the appropriate line and enter % in box to right).....
 Presidential Year (85%)
 All Other Years (60%)

B. HOUSE AND SENATE PARTY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES
OR HOUSE AND SENATE PARTY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES - B-HOU

MINIMUM FEDERAL PERCENTAGE (65%) (If checked, enter 65% in box to right).....
OR
 FUNDS EXPENDED:
 Calculated Direct Candidate Support - Federal.....
 Estimated Direct Candidate Support -- Non-Federal.....
ADJUSTMENTS TO FUNDS EXPENDED:
 Actual Direct Candidate Support -- Federal.....
 Actual Direct Candidate Support -- Non-Federal.....

NOTE: Funds expended must be used if the Federal proportion is greater than 65% in any year.

C. SEPARATE SEGREGATED FUNDS AND NON CONNECTED COMMITTEES

FUNDS EXPENDED:
 Estimated Direct Candidate Support - Federal.....
 Estimated Direct Candidate Support -- Non-Federal.....
ADJUSTMENTS TO FUNDS EXPENDED:
 Actual Direct Candidate Support -- Federal.....
 Actual Direct Candidate Support -- Non-Federal.....

D. STATE AND LOCAL PARTY COMMITTEES

BALLOT COMPOSITION

Check all Offices appearing on the next General Election Ballot:

	NUMBER OF POINTS
1. President <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
2. U.S. Senate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
3. U.S. Congress <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
4. SUBTOTAL -- Federal (ADD 1, 2, AND 3)	3
5. Governor <input type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	
6. Other Statewide Office(s) <input type="checkbox"/> (1 or 2 Points)	
7. State Senate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
8. State Representative <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
9. Local Candidates <input type="checkbox"/> (1 or 2 Points).....	
10. Extra Non-Federal Point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1 Point).....	1
11. SUBTOTAL -- Non-Federal (Add 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10)	3
12. TOTAL POINTS (Line 4 plus Line 11)	6

FEDERAL ALLOCATION = Line 4 divided by Line 12 .50

