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October 21, 2004

Via U.S. Mail

Mr. Thomas J. Spulak  
Treasurer  
Shaw Pitman Political Action Committee  
2300 N Street NW  
Washington, DC 20037

**Re: *Misidentified contribution to Committee for the Preservation of Capitalism***

Dear Mr. Spulak:

This law firm represents the California Portland Cement Company Political Action Committee ("CPC-PAC"). During a recent review of contributions made and received by CPC-PAC we discovered that a contribution made by Shaw Pitman Political Action Committee was erroneously reported by you as made to CPC-PAC. We believe the true identity of the recipient of your contribution is the Committee for the Preservation of Capitalism.

As a result of the misreported contribution, the Federal Election Commission ("FEC") Internet website displays CPC-PAC as the recipient of a contribution from Shaw Pitman PAC. As you know, federal law prohibits separate segregated funds (i.e. company-sponsored PACs) from receiving contributions from outside a narrow classification of individuals, including other PACs.

After speaking with representatives of the FEC, we have determined that because no committee identification number was included on your report of the contribution, the FEC used the name on the recipient line to identify the recipient. As the attached document shows, you used the name "CPC-PAC" to report the contribution. Because California Portland Cement Company Political Action Committee is the legitimate holder of the "CPC-PAC" designation, the contribution was attributed as received by CPC-PAC, not the Committee for the Preservation of Capitalism.

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Letter to Thomas Spulak

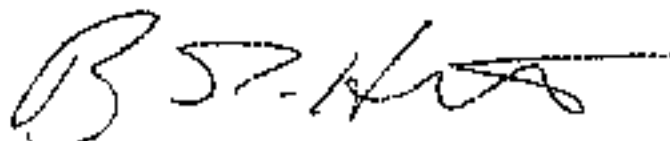
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According to FEC representatives, in order to remove CPC-PAC as the designated recipient of your contribution, your period report must be amended to show either the committee identification number or proper name identification for the Committee for the Preservation of Capitalism. It is critical that this be accomplished as soon as possible. If not, the FEC's website will continue to show what amounts to the making of an illegal contribution.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions or require additional information.

Very Truly Yours,



Brian T. Hildreth

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Enclosures

CC: Renee Benjamin, Esq.  
Corporate Counsel, California Portland Cement Company

Kristin Davis  
Reports Specialist, Federal Election Commission

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All information supplied from such Reports and Statements may not be used or used by any person for the purpose of soliciting contributions or for commercial purposes, other than using the name and address of any political committee to solicit contributions from such committee.

NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full)  
Shaw Pittman Political Action Committee

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)  
**A. Leadership PAC 2004**

Mailing Address: 375 North Washington Street  
Suite 410  
City: Alexandria State: VA Zip Code: 22314

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State: District D Disbursement For: Primary General Other (specify)

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Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)  
**B. CPC-PAC**

Mailing Address: Committee for the Preservation of  
P.O. Box 82814  
City: Alexandria State: VA Zip Code: 22304

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Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)  
**C. Judd Gregg Committee**

Mailing Address: PO Box 1812  
City: Concord State: NH Zip Code: 03302

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