



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Leo Bodette, Treasurer
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Local 324 National Political Activities Comm.
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Response Due Date:
May 16, 2005

Identification Number: C00093989

Reference: Year End Report (11/23/04-12/31/04)

Dear Mr. Bodette:

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. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Line 11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page discloses \$332,371.82 in unitemized receipts from individuals/persons other than political committees during the reporting period. Please clarify whether this figure includes any receipts from a single source that aggregate greater than \$200 in the calendar year. If this is the case, please amend your report(s) by itemizing the receipts on Schedule A supporting Line 11(a)(i). 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(2)(A) and (3)(A)

-For future reporting, please be advised that only the amounts applied toward the principal amount of a loan should be reported on Schedule B supporting Line 26 of the Detailed Summary Page. Interest payments should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 21(b), as operating expenditures, in accordance with 11 CFR §104.3.

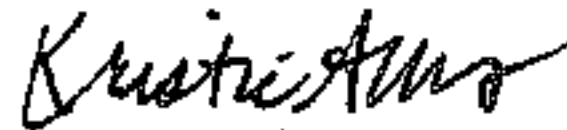
Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee.

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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.

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) 694-1141.

Sincerely,



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