



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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April 16, 1998

Jimmy Hart, Treasurer
Plumbers Local Union No. 1
Political Action Committee
158-29 Cross Bay Boulevard
Howard Beach, NY 11414

Identification Number: C00327478

Reference: Year End (7/1/97-8/19/97) and Year End (8/8/97-12/31/97) Reports

Dear Mr. Hart:

This letter is to inform you that as of April 15, 1998, the Commission has not received your response to our requests for additional information dated March 25, 1998. These notices request information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to these requests (copies enclosed).

If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Richard Ng on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John D. Gibson".

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosures



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MAR 25 1998

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Identification Number: C00327478

Reference: Year End Report (8/8/97-12/31/97)

Dear Mr. Hart:

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:

-Line 6(a) of the Summary Page represents the total cash-on-hand as of January 1, 1997. This figure should be the same on all the reports covering the calendar year. Please amend your report to clarify the change made in Line 6(a).

-The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 7, 11(a)(ii), 11(a)(iii), 11(d), 19, 20, 23, 29, 30 and 31, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B total. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.

-Please provide the totals for Lines 6 and 12, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry on Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. All transfers from affiliates received by your committee must be itemized on Schedule A regardless of the amount. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3)(D)

-Your committee has filed a report that contains financial activity already disclosed on another report. Overlapping coverage dates create difficulties in accounting for cash flow from one report to another. Please amend this report by including only the financial transactions that occurred between 7/1/97 and 12/31/97. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)

-It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that the reports you have filed during the current election cycle do not reflect the appropriate coverage dates for quarterly filing status. Please be advised of the filing dates and coverage periods for the 1997-1998 election cycle and fill in the appropriate dates on Line 5 of the Summary Page.

<u>Report Type</u>	<u>Coverage Dates</u>	<u>Due Date</u>
Mid-Year	1/1/97-6/30/97	July 31, 1997
Year End	7/1/97-12/31/97	January 31, 1998
April Quarterly	1/1/98-3/31/98	April 15, 1998
July Quarterly	4/1/98-6/30/98	July 15, 1998
October Quarterly	7/1/98-9/30/98	October 15, 1998
12 Day Pre-General	10/1/98-10/14/98	October 22, 1998
30 Day Post-General	10/15/98-11/23/98	December 3, 1998
Year End	11/24/98-12/31/98	January 31, 1999

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) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Richard Ng
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

