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Jorge Haynes, Treasurer
International Bank of Commerce Committee
for Improvement and Betterment of the Country
1200 San Bernardo
Laredo, TX 78041

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Reference: 30 Day Post-General Report (10/15/98-11/23/98)

Dear Mr. Haynes:

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 29 of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$9,500 in other disbursements. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule B, however, indicates the total to be \$10,500. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

•Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Transfers to affiliated committees should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 22 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions contained on the forms to determine the proper categorization when preparing your next filing.

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,

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