



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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OCT 15 1997

Martin Edwards, Jr., Treasurer
Realtors Political Action Committee
430 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611

Identification Number: C00030718

Reference: March Monthly Report (2/1/97-2/28/97)

Dear Mr. Edwards:

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:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee and its affiliates from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$5,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

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) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

Debbie Manzano
Debbie Manzano
Senior Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)
REALTORS® POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

<p>A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code ENGEL FOR CONGRESS 11 HARDING PKWY MT VERNON NY 10552-0000</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 1,500.00 D, 17th District, NY</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) General Election 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day,year) 9/10/96</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 500.00</p>
<p>B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code PEOPLE FOR ENGLISH PO BOX 1940 ERIE PA 16512</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 5,800.00 R, 21st District, PA</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) General Election 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day,year) 9/10/96</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1,000.00</p>
<p>C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code PEOPLE FOR ENGLISH PO BOX 1940 ERIE PA 16512</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 8,500.00 R, 21st District, PA</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) General Election 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day,year) 9/27/96</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 2,700.00</p>
<p>D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code JOHN ENSIGN FOR CONGRESS 8917 STAFFORD SPRINGS DR LAS VEGAS NV 89134-0000</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 8,000.00 R, 1st District, NV</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) General Election 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day,year) 9/27/96</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 5,000.00</p>
<p>E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code ENZI FOR US SENATE 510 SOUTH CILLETTE AVE GILLETTE WY 82716</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 5,000.00 R, Senate, WY Open Seat</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) General Election 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day,year) 9/27/96</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 5,000.00</p>

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REALTORS POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

<p>A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code JULIA CARSON FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 54 MONUMENT CIRCLE STE. 600 INDIANAPOLIS IN 46204</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(24K)</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 1,000.00 D, 10th District, IN</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">C00311969</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (6) General Deficit 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day, year) 2/13/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1,000.00</p>
<p>B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code FRIENDS OF MAX CLELAND FOR THE US SENATE INC 146 N.E. EXPRESSWAY, P.O. BOX 7949 ATLANTA GA 30357</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(24K)</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 5,000.00 D, Senate, GA</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">C00307512</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (6) General Deficit 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day, year) 2/13/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 5,000.00</p>
<p>C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code COMMITTEE TO ELECT JOHN COOKEY P.O. BOX 7600 MONROE LA 71211</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(24K)</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 1,000.00 R, 5th District, LA</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">C00307348</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (6) General Deficit 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day, year) 2/13/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1,000.00</p>
<p>D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code JOHN D DINGELL FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 607 14TH STREET NW WASHINGTON DC 20005-0000</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(24K)</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 500.00 D, 16th District, MI</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">C00002600</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (6) Primary Election 1998</p>	<p>Date(month day, year) 2/1/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 500.00</p>
<p>E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code RENZI FOR US SENATE 510 SOUTH GILLETTE AVE GILLETTE WY 82716</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(24K)</p>	<p>Purpose of Disbursement YTD 5,000.00 R, Senate, WY</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">C00317503</p> <p>Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) (6) General Deficit 1996</p>	<p>Date(month day, year) 2/13/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 5,000.00</p>

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