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Gerry Van de Velde, Treasurer
National Petrochemical & Refiners
Association Political Action Committee
(NPRA PAC)
1899 L Street, NW, Suite 1000
Washington, DC 20036

Identification Number: C00415026

Reference: Notification of Multicandidate Status (FEC FORM 1M)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's review of the document referenced above. There appears to be a discrepancy between the information disclosed on your FORM 1M and Commission records. Please clarify the following:

-On Line 5(d), your committee discloses a qualification date of 4/28/06. Please be advised that a committee's qualification date is the last date on which the committee has met all the multicandidate certification requirements. Therefore, the qualification date you have listed appears to be incorrect.

If the information you provided was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed or you believe the Commission records to be in error, please submit documentation which will clarify the matter. Should your committee meet the requirements for multicandidate status in the future, please submit a new Notification of Multicandidate Status (FEC FORM 1M). A copy of FEC FORM 1M can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format. If you need further assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1141.

Sincerely,

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