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Mr. Jonathan Wheeler, Treasurer  
R I Republican Party  
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Reference: Mid-Year Report (1/1/01-6/30/01)

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

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:

-On Schedule D of your previous report, you disclosed a debt(s) owed to the R I Republican Party - State Account, Capital View Associates, and James E. Murphy, Jr. This obligation(s), however, has been omitted from this report. Please amend your report to include this debt(s) on Schedule D and Line 10 of the Summary Page. All debts and obligations must be disclosed until extinguished. 11 CFR §104.11

-The outstanding balance of a debt owed to a creditor at the close of one report should be exactly the same as the beginning outstanding balance of the next report. The 2000 Year End Report shows an ending balance to Rep. Joan Quick of \$7,650, while this report shows a beginning balance of \$3,825. Please amend your report to clarify this discrepancy.

-Your report discloses an outstanding balance(s) beginning this period for a debt(s) owed to JLM Consulting and the Providence Marriott Hotel. However, an outstanding balance(s) at the close of the period was not disclosed on your 2000 Year End Report. Please amend your report(s) to clarify this discrepancy.

-Please be advised that the ballot composition ratio for allocation of administrative and generic voter drive expenses should be the same for state party committees in the same state. Schedule H1 of your report