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To Whom It May Concern:

Please find our response to the Commission's inquiry below. If any further information is required, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Our committee is aware of and abides by the best efforts standard. All of our original solicitations do contain a "clear and conspicuous" request for the contributor information and that this is a federal requirement. Secondly, if we do not receive the information, we make another written request within thirty days. This request again informs the contributor that this is a federal requirement and does not solicit a contribution. We provide a self-addressed envelope for their convenience. Finally, we add the information obtained as a result of these requests. Please find, under separate cover, examples of our original solicitations and our follow-up letter. These hard-copy examples are being mailed to the Commission.

Our Committee does have limited administrative expenses; it is by design. We rely almost exclusively on a direct mail firm for income and this is reflected in the list of our expenditures. This activity constitutes the vast majority of our expenses. The entire process is outsourced thereby negating the need for large staff and labor resources.

Thank you,
Bob Barr Leadership Fund