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March 25, 2002

Mr. Thomas F. Maxwell III
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20463
Re:ПFirst State PAC
FEC Identification #C00363648

Dear Mr. Maxwell:

This is in response to your letter dated March 13, 2002 concerning the Mid-Year Report (1/1/01-6/30/01) of the First State PAC("the Committee").

The Committee was assessed the usual and normal charge for the use of the office space by the Delaware Democratic State Committee ("the Party"). The Committee periodically uses a small space at the Party's office to conduct its political activities. Based on the size of the space and the frequency of use, the Party determined that $100 per month was a commercially reasonable price and the usual and normal charge. The Committee paid for a year with a $1200 disbursement and reported such on Line 21b as an operating expense.

If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Committee.

Very truly yours,

Marc Elias
Counsel to First State PAC

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