



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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December 12, 2008

Tim Gillespie, Treasurer  
Passenger Rail Today PAC  
2321 Blaine Drive  
Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Response Due Date:  
January 13, 2009

Identification Number: C00424846

Reference: Amended October Quarterly Report (7/1/08-9/30/08), received 11/28/08

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 3 items:

1. Schedule A of your report discloses in-kind contribution to your committee from Bennett Levin and Eric Levin, one of which is reported as a MEMO entry. Please be advised that the value of in-kind contributions must be added to the receipts and disbursements total in order to avoid either inflating or deflating the cash on hand amount, and itemized on the appropriate Schedules A and B. 11 CFR § 104.13(a)(2) Please amend your report by itemizing the in-kind contributions on Schedules A and B.
2. Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses \$9,320.45 in activity identified as MEMO entries that do not appear to correspond with any itemized transaction(s). Please be advised, a memo entry is used to disclose additional information about an itemized transaction and the amount of a memo entry is not included in the total receipts or disbursements for the report. Please amend your report to provide clarifying information regarding this activity.
3. Your amended report fails to disclose disbursements previously disclosed on your 2008 October Quarterly Report, received 10/9/08. Please be advised that when amending an electronically filed document, you must submit a complete version of the report, rather than just those portions that are being amended. Please resubmit your report to include any omitted

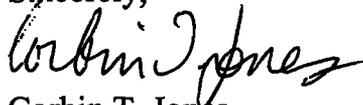
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activity or provide clarifying information as to why this activity was omitted from this amended report. 11 CFR §104.18(f)

**Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter.** Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1177.

Sincerely,



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