



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Hannah Spillman-Simone, Treasurer
Power PAC of the Edison Electric
Institute
701 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

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Reference: July Monthly Report (6/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Ms. Spillman-Simone:

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:

-Schedule A of your report (pertinent portions attached) discloses an apparent contribution(s) from a corporation(s). 2 U.S.C. §441b(a) prohibits the receipt of contributions from corporations unless made from a separate segregated fund established by the corporation.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have received a corporate contribution(s), you must transfer-out the impermissible funds to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the full amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all transfers-out and refunds should be made within thirty days of the treasurer's receipt of the impermissible funds. In order to protect the donor's interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of receiving a refund or granting written authorization for a transfer to another account.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on

Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report covering the period during which the transaction was made.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the acceptance of a prohibited contribution, prompt action by your committee to transfer-out or refund the amount will be taken into consideration.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Donald L. Averett
Senior Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE A

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Contributions From Other Political Committees (such as PACs)

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full) PowerPAC of the Edison Electric Institute			
Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Arizona Public Service Co 400 North 5th Street Phoenix, AZ 85004	Name of Employer Arizona Public Service Company	Date (month, day, year) 6/25/98	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 5508.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 500.00		
Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Northeast Utilities 107 Selden Street Berlin, CT 06141-0270	Name of Employer Northeast Utilities	Date (month, day, year) 6/16/98	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 51,008.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 1,000.00		

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)	\$ 1,500.00
TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)	\$ 1,500.00

