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Dear Mr. Neal:

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:

-A review of your itemized receipts indicates a discrepancy in your aggregate year-to-date totals. The reported aggregate totals on your report should include all contributions from an individual or committee given in the calendar year 1996. Please review your procedures for compliance with this requirement and amend your report(s) as necessary.

-Please provide a Schedule B to support the in-kind contribution(s) reported on Schedule A for Line 11(a)(i) of the Detailed Summary Page. All in-kind contributions from individuals, which in the aggregate exceed \$200, should be itemized on Schedule A and Schedule B and included on Lines 11(a)(i) and 17 of the Detailed Summary Page.

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) 219-3580.

Sincerely, July Hull

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