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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Paul R. Hejmanowski, Treasurer
Lionel Sawyer & Collins PAC
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Reference: Year End (7/1/99-12/31/99), April Quarterly (1/1/00-3/31/00) and July Quarterly (4/1/00-6/30/00) Reports

Dear Mr Hejmanowski:

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 B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a non-multicandidate political committee and its affiliates, from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of $1,000 per election. Please refer to the Campaign Guide for information on how a committee qualifies for multicandidate status.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of $1,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

If your committee has met the criteria for multicandidate status, please file FEC FORM 1M "Notification of Multicandidate Status" with the Commission. The treasurer must file FEC FORM 1M prior to making a

contribution of more than $1,000 per candidate per election. 11 CFR §102.2(a)(3)

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) 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 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Nicholas T. Ebinger
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)

Lionel Sawyer & Collins PAC

	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Gibbons for Congress 342 1/2 Plumas St. Reno, NV 89509	Jim Gibbons-$1,500.00ytd US Congress Dist.2 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	05/05/00	500.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Berkley 2000 Campaign 349 Keating St. Henderson, NV 89014	Shelly Berkley-1,000ytd US Congress Dist.1 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	05/15/00	500.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Tom Carper for Senate PO Box 2882 Wilmington, DE 19805	Tom Carper-500.00ytd US Senate-Delaware Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	05/31/00	500.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Ed Bernstein for Senate 711 Mall Ring Circle, Ste.202 Henderson, NV 89014-9855	Ed Bernstein-1,000.00ytd US Senate-D-NV Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	06/09/00	1,000.00
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Friends of Jon Porter 1111 Marycrest Rd., Ste.G Henderson, NV 89014	Jon Porter-1,000.00ytd US Congress-R-NV-Dist.1 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	06/28/00	500.00
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
H. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
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A. Abraham Senate 2000 900 Second St, NE, Ste.114 Washington DC 20002	Spencer Abraham-$1000ytd Senate-R-Michigan Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	02/16/00	1,000.00
B. Berkley 2000 Campaign 349 Keating St. Henderson, NV 89104	Shelly Berkley-$500ytd Congress-D-Nevada Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	02/16/00	500.00
C. Jim Gibbons for US Congress 542 1/2 Plumas St. Reno, NV 89509	Jim Gibbons-$1000ytd Congress-R-NV-Dist 2 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	03/10/00	500.00
D. Friends of Jon Porter 1111 Mary Crest Road Henderson, NV 89104	Jon Porter-$500ytd Congress-R-NV-Dist 1 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	03/17/00	500.00
E. Democratic National Committee 430 S. Capitol St., SE Washington DC 20003	Democratic National Comm $500ytd Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	03/23/00	500.00
F. Gibbons for Congress 542 1/2 Plumas St. Reno, NV 89509	Jim Gibbons-$1000ytd Congress-R-NV-Dist 2 Disbursement for: [X] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	03/24/00	500.00
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A. Weller for Congress PO Box 15283 Washington, DC 20003	Jerry Weller US Congress-R [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	07/02/99	500.00
B. Bob Kerrey for US Senate 301 4th Street, NE, Ste 201 Washington, DC 20002	Bob Kerrey US Senate-D [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	07/06/99	1,000.00
C. Robb for Senate PO Box 2000 Mclean, VA 22101	Chuck Robb US Senate-D-VA [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	07/16/99	1,000.00
D. John Ensign for US Senate PO Box 26568 Las Vegas, NV 89126	John Ensign US Senate-R-NV [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	08/17/99	1,000.00
E. Jim Gibbons for US Congress 542 1/2 Plumas St. Reno, NV 89509	Jim Gibbons US Congress-R-NV [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	10/21/99	500.00
F. Friends of Jon Porter c/o 601 Whitney Ranch, Ste 16 Henderson, NV 89014	Jon Porter US Congress-NV [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	11/16/99	500.00
G. Nevada State Democratic Party 1785 E. Sahara Ave, Ste 496 Las Vegas, NV 89104	Democrats [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	12/02/99	500.00
H. Searchlight Leadership Fund 203 C Street NE Washington, DC 20002	Harry Reid Senate Minority Leader [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	12/10/99	500.00
I. Bill Cormley for US Senate Alan Staller, Treasurer c/o 3205 Fire Rd. Pleasantville, NJ 08232	Bill Cormley US Senate-NJ [XX] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	12/29/99	250.00

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John Ensign for Senate P.O. Box 98407 Las Vegas, NV 89193	Campaign Contribution	11/26/97	500.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement / Disbursement for: [x] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Barbara Mulkulski for Senate P.O. Box 13147 Baltimore, MD 21203	Campaign Contribution	10/16/97	1,000.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement / Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
National Republican Senatorial Committee 408 C. St. NE Washington DC 20510	Contribution	11/13/97	1,000.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement / Disbursement for: [x] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Robert Torricelli for Senate 1300 Connecticut Ave. NW #600 Washington, DC 20036	Campaign Contribution	11/26/97	1,000.00
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement / Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
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Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement / Disbursement for: Primary General Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
A. John Ensign for Congress P.O. Box 98407 Las Vegas, NV 89193	Campaign Contribution X Other (specify) non election year	5/12/97	500.00
B. U.S. Senator Barbara Boxer 2107 Van Ness Ave. San Francisco, CA 94109	Campaign Contribution X Other (specify) non election year	5/27/97	1,000.00
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