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Mr. Neil Evans Reports Analyst Reports Analysis Division Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20463

Dear Mr. Evans:

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This letter serves a formal response to your letter to the Republican Fund for the 90's (FEC I.D. number C00281923) dated December 28, 1995. With regard to the incorrect identification number on our mid-year report (1/1/95 - 6/30/95), the error has been noted and the number will be correct on all subsequent disclosure reports.

As for the limited payments for administrative expenses disclosed on the report, the Republican Fund for the 90's limited its activity as of February 1, 1995 due to the expected and then subsequent candidacy of our Chairman, Lamar Alexander, for the Republican Presidential nomination. It was brought to our attention that any activity by the Republican Fund for the 90's during Mr. Alexander's Presidential campaign could be subject to an FEC audit. Thus, expenditures were limited to basic administrative operations and all requisite federal compliance matters and most were handled on a volunteer basis. All disbursements and receipts were fully disclosed on the mid-year report.

If this letter does not fully respond to your inquiry, please contact me at (703) 684-0397 or at P.O. Box 190476, Nashville, TN, 37219. I appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Karin I. Markey

Assistant Treasurer

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