

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Jimmy Hart, Treasurer Plumbers Local Union No. I Political Action Committee 158-29 Cross Bay Boulevard Howard Beach, NY 11414

Identification Number: C00327478

Reference: Year End Report (8/8/97-12/31/97)

Dear Mr. Hart:

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:

-Line 6(a) of the Summary Page represents the total cash-on-hand as of January 1, 1997. This figure should be the same on all the reports covering the calendar year. Please amend your report to clarify the change made in Line 6(a).

-The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 7, 11(a)(ii), 11(a)(iii), 11(d), 19, 20, 23, 29, 30 and 31, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B total. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.

-Please provide the totals for Lines 6 and 12, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry on Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. All transfers from affiliates received by your committee must be itemized on Schedule A regardless of the amount. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3)(D)

-Your committee has filed a report that contains financial activity already disclosed on another report. Overlapping coverage dates create difficulties in accounting for each flow from one report to another. Please amend this report by including only the financial transactions that occurred between 7/1/97 and 12/31/97. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)

It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that the reports you have filed during the current election cycle do not reflect the appropriate coverage dates for quarterly filing status. Please be advised of the filing dates and coverage periods for the 1997-1998 election cycle and fill in the appropriate dates on Line 5 of the Summary Page.

Report Type	Coverage Dates	Due Date
Mid-Year	1/1/97-6/30/97	July 31, 1997
Year End	7/1/97-12/31/97	January 31, 1998
April Quarterly	1/1/98-3/31/98	April 15, 1998
July Quarterly	4/1/98-6/30/98	July 15, 1998
October Quarterly	7/1/98-9/30/98	October 15, 1998
12 Day Pre-General	10/1/98-10/14/98	October 22, 1998
30 Day Post-General	10/15/98-11/23/98	December 3, 1998
Year End	11/24/98-12/31/98	January 31, 1999

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,

Richard Ng

Reports Analyst

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