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**Response Due Date**  
**01/05/2012**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00012476

REFERENCE: OCTOBER MONTHLY REPORT (09/01/2011 - 09/30/2011)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Line 11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page discloses \$161,678.63 in unitemized receipts from individuals/persons other than political committees during the reporting period. When contributions from an individual reach \$200 for a calendar year, each subsequent contribution from that individual must be itemized, regardless of the amount. Please amend your report to provide a Schedule A if necessary, or to clarify that for the contributions in question, the aggregate year-to-date total for each contributor does not exceed \$200. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4)(i))
2. Schedule E of your report discloses a disbursement(s) on behalf of a nonfederal candidate(s) which is classified as an independent expenditure(s). Please be advised that 11 CFR §100.16 defines an Independent Expenditure as an expenditure for a communication expressly advocating the election or defeat of a clearly identified federal candidate. If this disbursement(s) was solely on behalf of a nonfederal candidate(s), then this disbursement(s) should be reported on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 29. Please clarify if this disbursement(s) expressly advocated the election or defeat of a clearly identified federal candidate, and amend your report if necessary.