

April 9, 2010

Laura Sinram, Senior Campaign Finance Analyst  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Democratic State Central Committee of CA -Federal (#C00105668)  
Year End Report (12/1/09-12/31/09)

Dear Ms. Sinram:

The Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report. We have addressed the questions below and have disclosed any changes or clarifications in our amended Year End Report (see amendment e-filed 4/9/10):

1. We have amended our Year-End Report to disclose the memo entry for unitemized contributions from the Democratic National State Party Victory fund and Boxer CDP 2010 , which is a joint fundraising committee(s) affiliated with our committee.
2. Schedule A supporting Line 17 of our report discloses a payment(s) from a federal joint fundraising committee(s) for administrative services. Timesheets are produced to determine the activity and value associated with the administrative services we provide for the joint fundraiser.
3. Schedule B The payment to the Democratic State Central Comm of Calif. (non-federal committee) was to correct a federal expense for worker s comp insurance that was inadvertently paid out of our non-federal committee.
4. Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of our report discloses a payment(s) for 401-k employee contribution, dental insurance, federal payroll taxes, finance assistant salary, health insurance, salaries, payroll taxes, processing fees, salary, state payroll taxes and vision insurance. Some of these payment(s) relate to an on-going fundraising ratio that is disclosed on our Schedule H2 and are not Federal election activity or activities in connection with a Federal election. Some of these payment(s) are administrative and the type of Allocated Activity is clearly marked as such.
5. We transferred on December 27, 2009 the federal share of salaries associated with operating a political committee. These disbursements were not made to influence the election or defeat of specific federal candidates. We have established procedures to ensure future compliance with allocation regulations.
6. Schedule L-B of our report discloses a transfer-out to Democratic State Central Comm of Calif. totaling \$38,910.46 from our Levin account for reimb Levin share: VoterID exp These costs were inadvertently allocated between federal and non-federal funds on April 16, 2009. This correction was made per your instructions.

If you have any further questions, please contact me at (916) 442-5707.

Sincerely,

Katherine Moret  
Treasurer

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**ETEXT ATTACHMENT**

cc: Shawnda Westly, Executive Director

Lance Olson, Legal Counsel

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