



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Peggy Gagnon, Treasurer
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Identification Number: C00344051

Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/00-10/18/00)

Dear Ms. Gagnon:

On December 19, 2000 you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your January 4, 2001 response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for Line 11(c) and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the year-to-date totals for the calendar year 2000.

-Schedule A supporting Lines 11(a)(i) and 11(e) discloses memo entries of receipts from Florida 2000. However, the net transfer representing these funds is not reported on Line 12 nor is the net transfer itemized on a Supporting Schedule A. Please amend your report to itemize this transfer or clarify the itemizations of the memo entries on Schedule A.

-Schedule A of your report discloses contributions from political

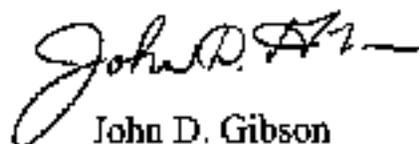
committees but fails to include the full address. Please amend your report to include the missing information. (11 CFR §104.3(a)(4)(iii))

-Schedule A of your report discloses contributions from political committees but fails to include the full and/or recognizable name. Reporting only the name of the connected organization, abbreviating the name of the committee so it is unrecognizable, or using an indistinguishable acronym is inadequate. (11 CFR §102.14(c) and 104.3(a)(4)(ii) A listing of the full FEC-registered committee names and approved acronyms can be found on the FEC web site or can be obtained by contacting the FEC Public Disclosure Division. Please amend your report to include the missing information.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by February 7, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions for time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Pat Sheppard on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (a the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



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