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Mr. Andrew Dodson
Senior Reports Analyst
Federal Election Commission
999 E. Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Reference: ID number C00028860 Pre-election report

Dear Mr. Dodson:

We received your letter February 19 in reference to our apparent error in contributions to the candidate Jim Davis of Nebraska. Our FEC report for this page has now been corrected to report two contributions to candidates named Jim Davis. The October 9th contribution in the amount of \$5000 was sent to the campaign of Jim Davis from Florida in the 11th congressional district. The October 4th contribution was to Jim Davis of Nebraska in the amount of \$1000. Enclosed in the correction to the FEC report. Please contact me if you have any questions at 202-879-4509.

Sincerely,

Kim E. Harkness

Deputy Director of Accounting

Enclosures: 2

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AMERICAN FEDERATION OF TEACHERS COMMITTEE ON POLITICAL EDUCATION

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JAY JOHNSON FOR CONGRESS PO BOX 8953 GREEN BAY, WI 54308	JOHNSON, JAY CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 8, WI - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify)	10/04/96	5,000.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JIM DAVIS FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 980 SOUTH 72ND STREET OMAHA, NE 68114	DAVIS, JIM CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 2 NE - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify)	10/04/96	1,000.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JOHN MCHUGH FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE PO BOX 6161 WATERLOO, NY 13601	MCHUGH, JOHN CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 24, NY - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify)	10/07/96	2,500.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JOHN POLIAND FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 6335 PROSPECT DALLAS, TX 75214	POLIAND, JOHN CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 5, TX - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify) SPECIAL	10/07/96	2,500.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JUDY HANCOCK FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE INC. PO BOX 7307 SHARREE MISSION, KS 68207-0307	HANCOCK, JUDY CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 3, KS - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify)	10/04/96	2,500.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JULIA CARSON FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE 54 MONUMENT CIRCLE 1900 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	CARSON, JULIA CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 10, IN - 1996 Disbursement for: Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify)	10/04/96	4,000.00

FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE	PURPOSE OF DISBURSEMENT	DATE (MONTH, day, year)	AMOUNT OF EACH Disbursement this period
JIM DAVIS FOR CONG. COMM. 3716 WEST SWANN TAMPA, FL 33609	DAVIS, JIM CONTRIBUTION US HOUSE CDIST 11, FL - 1996 General	10/9/96	5,000.00

SUB TOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional).....22,500.00



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Edward J. McElroy, Treasurer
American Federation of Teachers
Committee On Political Education
555 New Jersey Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20001



Identification Number: C00028860

Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/96-10/16/96)

Dear Mr. McElroy:

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:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$5,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the contributor. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on

Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.2(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

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) 219-3580.

Sincerely,



Andrew J. Dodson
Senior Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

