



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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August 11, 2004

William R. Tracy, Treasurer  
National Cotton Council Committee  
for the Advancement of Cotton  
P.O. Box 820292  
Memphis, TN 38182

**Response Due Date:**  
**September 16, 2004**

Identification Number: C00023028

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/01/04-6/30/04)

Dear Mr. Tracy:

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. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Your report discloses memo Schedule A's totaling \$1,375 from "Mr. Thomas W. Stallings," "Mr. Eugene Bragg Smith, III," "Mr. Neill M. Sloan," "Mr. F. A. Underwood," "Mr. Wendell L. Tucker," "Mr. Samuel B. Hollis," "Mr. LaDell Harrison," "Mr. Eugene B. Smith, Jr.," "Mr. Larry G. Lively," "Mr. W. Coalter Paxton, Jr.," "Mr. Donald L. Wallace, Jr.," "Mr. Robert J. Cohen," "Mr. Gary Myers," "Mr. Robert F. Reed," "Mrs. Pam Underwood," and "Jane M. Byrd," who appear to be members of a partnership. However, there is no corresponding receipt from a partnership disclosed on Schedule A. Please clarify this apparent discrepancy.

**Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter.** Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of 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.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1143.

Sincerely,



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