

This letter is to inform the Commission that, on June 14, 2011, John Atkinson publicly announced that he will no longer be a candidate in the 2012 election for the U.S. House of Representatives in Illinois. He has ceased to conduct campaign activities with respect to that election. Before terminating, the Committee will pay its remaining winding-down expenses and make appropriate disposition of its surplus funds. In the meantime, it will continue to file regular reports with the Commission. If you have any questions, please contact the Committee.