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January 5, 2008

Federal Election Commission 999 "E" Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20463

Commission:

This letter is prompted by your letter of December the 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007.

I have enclosed an up-dated FEC Form 1. I hope I was supposed to do this. I hope that this answers the first question in your letter.

With respect to the second question, the Consumer Fireworks Safety Association (CFSA) is the trade association established to promote the safe and responsible use of consumer fireworks. It is funded by a consumer fireworks import, wholesale and retail company.

With respect to the third question, the Consumer Fireworks Safety Association Political Action Committee (CFSAPAC) is funded by the same company in compliance with state laws of the State of Washington. All contributions to state and local candidates are reported as required.

Finally, the Consumer Fireworks Safety Association Political Action Committee—Federal Account (CFSAPACFA) accepts contributions only from individuals as required by federal law and supports only federal candidates.

I hope that this letter and the amended FEC Form 1 answer all questions and comply fully with all federal campaign laws.

Respectfully



## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

December 21, 2007

Jerald E. Farley, Treasurer
Consumer Fireworks Safety Association
Political Action Committee Federal Account
16526 Shore Drive NE
Lake Forest Park, WA 98155

Response Due Date: January 23, 2008

Identification Number: C00297077

Reference:

Amended Statement of Organization, received 3/8/07

Dear Treasurer:

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. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 3 items:

- 1. Please be advised that FEC FORM 1 has been revised as of February, 2003. The current version of FEC FORM 1 can be downloaded from the FEC website at <a href="http://www.fec.gov">http://www.fec.gov</a>, or requested through the FEC Fax line at (202) 501-3413. Please use the current version when filing your amendment.
- 2. Please clarify your relationship, if any, with "Consumer Fireworks Safety Asso.," which appears to be your connected organization. For further guidance on the question of connected organizations, please refer to 11 CFR §100.6. If your committee is a separate segregated fund, an amended Statement of Organization should be submitted to indicate the appropriate type of committee on Line 5(e) and to clarify the type of your connected organization on Line 6. Further, if "Consumer Fireworks Safety Asso." is your connected organization you should amend your Statement of Organization to reflect this relationship as "connected" on Line 6.
- 3. Please clarify your relationship, if any, with "Consumer Fireworks Safety Assn. Political Action Committee," which includes as a relationship "non-qualifying state & Local PAC." Please be advised that Line 6 should be used to list any connected organization, affiliated federally registered

political committees and any associated joint fundraising committees. Please provide clarifying information regarding this entity and amend your Statement of Organization, as appropriate.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. 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. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

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) 694-1177.

Sincerely,

Corbin T. Jones

Senior Campaign Finance Analyst

Reports Analysis Division

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## STATEMENT OF

RECEIVED FEC MAIL CENTER

2008 APR 16 AM 8: 57 **ORGANIZATION** FORM 1 Office Use Only Example: If typing, type NAME OF -(Check if name 12FE4M5 COMMITTEE (in full) is changed) over the lines. ICONSUMER PIREWORKS SAFETY ASSOCIATION COMMITTER PEDERAL DRIVE ADDRESS (number and street) (Check if address is changed) CITY A STATE A ZIP CODE A COMMITTEE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS COMMITTEE'S WEB PAGE ADDRESS (URL) **COMMITTEE'S FAX NUMBER** 2061-13631-175751 01 05 2008 2. DATE C00297077 FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER IS THIS STATEMENT NEW (N) OR AMENDED (A) I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete. Type or Print Name of Treasurer Signature of Treasurer Date NOTE: Submission of false, emotious, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g. ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS. Office For further information contact: **FEC FORM 1** Federal Election Commission Use Toll Free 800-424-9530 (Revised 02/2003) Only Local 202-694-1100

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