



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Richard M. Gold, Treasurer  
Holland & Knight Committee for  
Effective Government  
2099 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20006

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Reference: October Quarterly Report (7/1/00-9/30/00)

Dear Mr. Gold:

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 supporting Line 23 of your report discloses a contribution(s) to a candidate(s) for the 2000 primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign.

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 impermissible contribution for an election which has already occurred, you should notify the recipient and request a refund 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 or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). 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

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entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

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

-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 and its affiliates 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 or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). 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 §110.1(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 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports

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Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Walker", written over a horizontal line.

Scott Walker

Reports Analyst

Report Analysis Division

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## SCHEDULE B

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## NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)

Holland &amp; Knight Committee for Effective Government

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Robb for U.S. Senate 424 C Street, NE Washington, DC 20002-	US Senate VA Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) Senate General 2000	09/11/200	\$1000.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Hal Rogers for Congress 103 E. Bellefonte Avenue Alexandria, VA 22301-	US House KY-5 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/26/200	\$1000.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Sabo for Congress Volunteer Committee 644 N. Carolina Avenue, S.E. Washington, DC 20003-	US House MN-5 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/26/200	\$500.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Santorum 2000 P.O. Box 10495 Pittsburgh, PA 15234-	US Senate PA Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) Senate Primary 2000	07/18/200 <i>Primary</i>	\$2000.00 <i>4/4/00</i>
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Santorum 2000 P.O. Box 10495 Pittsburgh, PA 15234-	US Senate VA Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) Senate Primary 2000	07/11/200 <i>Primary</i>	\$1000.00 <i>4/4/00</i>
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Friends of Clay Shaw 2600 NE 14th Street Causeway Pompano Beach, FL 33062-	US House FL-22 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/06/200	\$1000.00
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Defend America PAC P.O. Box 2626 Tuscaloosa, AL 35403-	2000 Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	07/11/200	\$1000.00

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\$7500.00

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Peterson for Congress P.O. Box 265 Detroit Lakes, MN 56502-	US House MN-7 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	05/15/200	\$500.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Jim Ramstad Volunteer Committee 8100 Penn Avenue South Suite 10a Minneapolis, MN 55431-	ck# 2276 never sent to campaign Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	06/01/200	\$-1000.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Reynolds for Congress 1850 Winton Road South Rochester, NY 14618-	US House NY-27 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	04/11/200	\$1000.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Sabo for Congress Volunteer Committee 644 N. Carolina Avenue, S.E. Washington, DC 20003-	US House MN-5 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	05/15/200	\$500.00
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Santorum 2000 P.O. Box 10495 Pittsburgh, PA 15224-	US Senate PA Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) Senate Primary 2000	04/06/200	\$250.00
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Friends of Clay Shaw 2600 NE 14th Street Causeway Pompano Beach, FL 33062-	US House FL-22 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	05/02/200	\$500.00
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Friends of Clay Shaw 2600 NE 14th Street Causeway Pompano Beach, FL 33062-	US House FL-22 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	06/12/200	\$1000.00

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Royce Campaign Committee P.O. Box 6765 Fullerton, CA 92634-	US House CA-39 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	02/09/199	\$500.00
Sabo for Congress Volunteer Committee 644 N. Carolina Avenue, S.E. Washington, DC 20003-	US House MN-5 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	05/21/199	\$500.00
Santorini 2000 P.O. Box 10498 Pittsburgh, PA 15234-	US Senate PA Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) Senate Primary 2000	05/05/199	\$1000.00
Serrano for Congress 421 New Jersey Avenue, S.E. Washington, DC 20003-	US House NY-16 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	04/14/199	\$500.00
Friends of Clay Shaw 2600 NE 14th Street Causeway Pompano Beach, FL 33062-	US House FL-22 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	04/09/199	\$500.00
Friends of Clay Shaw 2600 NE 14th Street Causeway Pompano Beach, FL 33062-	US House FL-22 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	04/27/199	\$1000.00
Ellen Tauscher for Congress 503 Capitol Court, N.E. Suite 100 Washington, DC 20002-	US House CA-10 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	02/24/199	\$500.00

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Jim Ramstad Volunteer Committee 8100 Penn Avenue South Suite 104 Minneapolis, MN 55431-	US House MN-3 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$500.00
Regula for Congress Committee 733 42nd N W Canton, OH 44709-	US House OH-16 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$500.00
Bantorum 2000 P.O. Box 10495 Pittsburgh, PA 15234-	US Senate - PA Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$1000.00
Schumer '98 432 Park Avenue South Suite 1206 New York, NY 10016-	voided ck never cashed dated 6/2/97 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$-500.00
Snowe for Senate P.O. Box 2000 Portland, ME 04104-	US Senate - ME Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$1000.00
Eileen Tauscher for Congress 503 Capitol Court, N.E. Suite 100 Washington, DC 20002-	US House CA-10 1998 debt retirement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/03/98	\$500.00
Billy Tauzin Congressional Committee 550 South Van Houma, LA 70361-	US House LA-3 Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/30/98	\$1000.00

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