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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Response Due Date:
July 15, 2005

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Reference: Amended September Monthly Report (8/1/04-8/31/04), received 5/12/05

Dear Mr. Retzer:

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:

-The totals listed on Lines 21(b), 21(c) and 22, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page(s) appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B totals. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule B of your report to clarify the following description(s): "EVENT COST," "PRODUCTION COST" and "PROMOTIONAL SUPPLIES." For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3).

-Schedule B supporting Line 22 of your report discloses transfers to "2004 JOINT STATE VICTORY COMM" which appears to be a joint fundraising committee. For further guidance on the question of joint fundraising, please refer to 11 CFR §102.17. If your committee is involved in joint fundraising with "2004 Joint State Victory Committee" you should amend your Statement of Organization to reflect this joint fundraising relationship on Line 6.